









'Phone C. 22  
FOR  
**CLASSIFIED  
ADVERTISING**

Twenty-five words three insertions prepaid \$1. Every additional word four cents for three insertions.  
All replies under this heading must be called for.

**LOST**

PEAK CLUB.—Will the RAGA-MUFFIN who removed in error last Friday week a DOUBLE BREASTED BLUE OVERCOAT return it to the No. 1 Boy Peak Club. REWARD—his OWN OVERCOAT.

**POSITION WANTED**

ENGLISH GIRL sailing with her family in Macedonia on March 1 would like to get in touch with lady who needs help on voyage with children.—Apply Telephone Kowloon 1399.

**TO LET**

TO LET.—No. 5, Dragon Terrace, Causeway Bay, 1st, 2nd and 3rd floors. Each flat has three bedrooms, dining room, servants' quarters, kitchen, bath room, and water closets. Suitable for Europeans. Apply Clark & Co., 10, Des Voeux Road C.

**GODOWN TO LET.**

A GODOWN at Whitfield Road consisting about 2,500 sq. ft. next to Kwong Sang Hong Glass Factory. Please apply to Kwong Sang Hong, Ltd.

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE.—Steam Launch "Seagull"—Length 55 feet. For full particulars, apply to Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd.

FOR SALE.—Banjo. "Clifford Essex" G. Genuine Autographed Model. Unused. Original Nicholas painting on Vellum. Cost \$125. Sell \$30 or offer with Case and Tutor. Apply Box No. 637, c/o "China Mail."

**HOME TUITION.**

WESTOVER—STEVENAGE. Within an hour from London. In healthy neighbourhood. SCHOOL for GIRLS and SMALL BOYS. A few Boarders received in the House of the Principal. Individual care and attention. For particulars apply to:

MISS RUTH GULLEY  
(Cambridge Higher Local).  
Camb. Teachers' Diploma).  
MISS GERTRUDE TURNER  
(National Froebel Higher Certificate).

**MISCELLANEOUS**

YOUR VISITING CARDS neatly and promptly printed.—"China Mail" Office, No. 3A, Wyndham St. Telephone Central 22.

**ALEXANDER'S INSTITUT DE BEAUTE**

For the best Permanent Finger & Marcel Waves. Hair Cutting and Manicure for Ladies & Gentlemen.  
Pedder Bldg. 1st floor. Room 5  
Tel. C. 5159.  
Opposite entrance H.K. Hotel.

**PHOTO-SUPPLIES**

Kodaks and Cameras.  
Films, Plates and Papers, etc.  
Developing, Printing and Enlarging.

**ZIESS and BUSCH  
FIELD GLASSES**

Price Moderate.

A Trial Order is Solicited.

**A. SEK & CO.**

Tel. No. C. 3459.  
26A, Des Voeux Road C.  
Hong Kong.

**TANG YUK, DENTIST**

Successor to  
the late SIEN TING.  
14, D'Agall Street.

TERMS VERY MODERATE  
Consultation Free.

**ALL CARS  
REPAIRED****FIAT GARAGE**

67A, 67B, Des Voeux Rd. C.  
Tel. C. 4821.

**LAMMERT BROS.**

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS  
AND SURVEYORS.

**Public Auctions**

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON  
WEDNESDAY, February 26, 1930  
commencing at 10.30 a.m.  
at No. 17, Jordan Road, Top Floor  
(Kowloon).

A Quantity of  
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE

On view from Tuesday,  
February 25, 1930.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.  
LAMMERT BROS.,  
Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, February 21, 1930.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON  
WEDNESDAY, February 26, 1930  
commencing at 11.30 a.m.  
at No. 88B, Nathan Road (Top  
Floor) Kowloon.

A Quantity of Valuable Household  
Furniture, Blackwood ware  
and

One Piano by Moutrie

On View from Tuesday, February  
25, 1930.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,  
Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, February 21, 1930.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON  
Thursday, February 27, 1930,  
commencing at 11 a.m.  
at No. 10, Peak Mansion.

A Quantity of Valuable  
Household Furniture.

Comprising:—  
Teak dining table, Teak side-  
board, Teak dinner wagon, Teak  
Cabinet, Chairs, Tientsin Carpet,  
Curtains, Chiming Clock, Orna-  
ments, etc., etc.

Also

A Quantity of Red Lacquer ware  
and Blackwood ware.

On View from Wednesday,  
February 26, 1930.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,  
Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, February 21, 1930.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON  
FRIDAY, February 28, 1930,  
commencing at 11 a.m.  
at No. 2B, Armend Buildings,  
Kowloon.

A Quantity of  
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE

Comprising:—  
Chesterfield Couch and Arm-  
chair, Rocking Chair, Teak  
Cabinet, Teak Desk, Teak Cup-  
board with Glass Shelves, Carpet,  
Cushions, Curtains, Ornament, etc.

Teak Dining Table, Teak Side-  
board, Teak Chairs, Teak Card  
Table, Screen, Pictures, Filter,  
etc.

Teak Bedstead, Wardrobe with  
Bevelled Mirror Doors, Teak  
Dressing Table, Linen Cupboard,  
Chest of Drawers, Mahjong Table,  
etc.

Electric Fittings and Bathroom  
Fixtures

also

One Piano, Gramophone Victory  
IX.

and

One White Frost  
(Most of the above Furniture  
made by Lane, Crawford, Ltd.)

On View from Thursday, Febru-  
ary 27, 1930.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,  
Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, February 21, 1930.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON  
THURSDAY, February 27, 1930,  
commencing at 2.30 p.m.,  
at No. 3, Alburgh Hall,  
May Road.

A Quantity of  
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE

and  
One Grand Piano by F. Dörner  
& Sohn.

On View from Wednesday,  
February 26, 1930.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,  
Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, February 21, 1930.

**NOTICES.****NOTICE.**

THE EXCHANGE BANKS will be OPEN for the Transaction of Public Business at 9.30 a.m. on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 24th, 25th and 26th Instant and CLOSE at 12 Noon (Race Meeting).  
Hong Kong, 19th Feb., 1930.

**HONG KONG & SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION**

THE FINAL DIVIDEND declared for the Year ending 31st December, 1929, at the rate of Three Pounds Sterling together with a Bonus of One Pound Sterling, is payable on and after the 24th February, 1930, at the Offices of the Corporation, where shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Board of

Directors,

A. C. HYNES,  
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 22nd February, 1930.

**UNION WATERBOAT COMPANY,  
LIMITED.****NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

THE TWENTY FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of Messrs. Dodwell & Company, Limited, on MONDAY, the 10th March, 1930, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1929. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st March to 10th March, 1930, both dates inclusive.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.,  
General Managers.

Hong Kong, 13th February, 1930.

**THE HONG KONG ELECTRIC  
CO., LTD.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Company's Offices, P. & O. Building, on WEDNESDAY, 12th March, 1930, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1929, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from 28th February, 1930 to 12th March, 1930, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of

Directors,

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD.,  
Agents.

Hong Kong, 19th Feb., 1930.

**HONG KONG TRAMWAYS LTD.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, LIMITED will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Hong Kong, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of March, 1930, at 12 o'clock Noon, to transact the ordinary business of the Company.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 4th to TUESDAY, the 18th March, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

W. F. SIMMONS,  
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 24th February, 1930.

**GREEN ISLAND CEMENT  
CO., LTD.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 41ST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of March, 1930, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1929.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, 8th March, 1930 to WEDNESDAY, 19th March, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of

Directors,

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,  
General Managers.

Hong Kong, 24th Feb., 1930.

**NOTICES.****HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.****RACE MEETING, 1930.**

22nd, 24th, 25th, 26th February  
and 1st March, 1930.

ON SATURDAY, 22nd February the First Race will be run at 2 p.m. and on all other days at 12 o'clock Noon. On the First Day the First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and on the other four days at 11.30 a.m.

**MEMBERS' BADGES &  
ENCLOSURE.**

Members' Badges may be obtained by those members who have not already received them on application to the Secretary.

Such Badges will also ensure admission to all Extra Race Meetings during 1930.

Members are notified that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10. per day or \$40. for the Meeting (ladies \$4. and \$16. respectively), are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for payment of all chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the Race Course.

Members can obtain, upon application to the Secretary, badges (limited to two) for the free admission to the Members' Enclosure of wives, lady relatives and friends. Names must be stated when applying.

On no pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting.

**PUBLIC ENCLOSURE**

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3. per day for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1 per day.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

**SERVANTS' PASSES**

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to Messrs. Linstead and Davis, Alexandra Buildings.

Employers are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes.

Servants are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties, but must remain in their employers' stands.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' Passes in their possession will forfeit the same and will be removed from the enclosure.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 10th February, 1930.

**HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.**

DRAFT PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the FIRST EXTRA RACE MEETING to be held on SATURDAY, 8th March, 1930 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Race Course, Hong Kong Club and Causeway Bay Stables.

Entries CLOSE at 12 o'clock Noon on MONDAY, 3rd March, 1930.

Hong Kong, 19th February, 1930.

**RHEUMATISM**

2 tablets 3 times daily gives  
instantaneous relief

**GENASPRIN**

for sale at Chemists and  
Dispensaries

Sole Agents:

W. R. LOXLEY & CO.

**REALISTIC**

The realistic Method is altogether new—a new way of winding the hair, from the ends toward the scalp—a new wave—softer, smoother and more natural.

Arrange TO-DAY to have your Realistic Permanent Wave—or Re-wave.  
TAYOI BEAUTY PARLOUR,  
24, Wyndham Street.

**FOR  
WELDING**

LANE, CRAWFORD, LTD.  
Automobile Dept. Chief

**THE BOOTLEGGING  
HONEY BEE****ANOTHER STRANGE STORY  
FROM AMERICA**

"KICK LIKE A MULE"

The spectacle of a Prohibition agent trying to arrest a swarm of bees for violating the dry laws would add much to the joy of life, suggests an editorial in the Boston Evening Transcript, which carries the surprising information that these busy little insects have turned to bootlegging. The news, says the New York Literary Digest, comes from Norfolk, where there is a warehouse holding 60,000 tons of sugar. Not far away lives a man who keeps bees. Not long ago the bees discovered the sugar, and ever since they have been invading the warehouse and helping themselves to the contents for honey-making purposes. The Transcript further says of the actual and possible consequences of these depredations: "The honey is said to have a kick like a mule; clearly indicating an alcoholic content in excess of one-half of one per cent. The bees have gone abroad, and the bee-keeper reports a rising demand for the product. There is created a situation of many interesting possibilities."

"In the first place, there is the interesting problem the industry of the bees presents to the men learned in the law. Does the law of the excellent Mr. Volstead apply in the premises? To the layman it does not seem that honey, even with a kick like a mule, could be described as manufactured for beverage purposes. But if the law is enforceable, are the bees to be adjudged guilty, or is their owner?"

"The incident suggests future possibilities. It may create a simultaneous demand for bees and sugar. Bootleggers may turn to beehives for a stock in trade and become as busy as a bee. It is conceivable that the consumption of sugar will become so great that owners of plantations in Louisiana and beet-sugar fields in Utah will cease to care about the duty, relieving Senator Smoot of a great load of anxiety."

**"TO THE EDITOR"****55 Volumes of  
Letters!**

Britain's well-known writer of "Letters to the Editor" Mr. Algeron Ashton, has kept a diary for 55 years.

He has it all, in 55 separate volumes, and he showed them with pride, and yet a touch of chagrin, for, strive as he will, Mr. Ashton cannot accomplish records.

Everyone knows that though he has had over 2,500 letters to the editor printed in the papers, a Sussex parson has had more.

And just when Mr. Ashton was thinking his own diary was unequalled, he had a letter from an 86-year-old Somerset J.P., Mr. J. J. Barstow, written after a busy morning on the bench at Weston-super-Mare, to say that he has kept a diary for 67 years—also without a break!

**"Too Intimate"**

I wonder (writes a correspondent to the Straits Echo), whether Mr. Barstow's diary is kept as neatly and legibly as Mr. Ashton's, into which I was allowed to dip, though, as he explained, "It is not really fit for publication—too intimate, too personal."

It is not surprising that Mr. Ashton, who was born with a fountain-pen in his mouth, should minutely record all his transactions with that most delightful of institutions, the Post Office.

In 1894, he records in his customary retrospect at the end of the year, "I received 1,443 postal communications of all kinds, and sent off 964 letters, 42 postcards, 10 telegrams, and 539 parcels."

I asked Mr. Ashton to give his advice on keeping a diary, but he said he had none to give people, and if he had they wouldn't take it. Besides he was not sure that keeping a diary was really any use.

That was a depressing conclusion to reach after 55 years of it, but Mr. Ashton was not quite his cheerful self. He was thinking gloomily perhaps of Mr. Barstow, who had gone 12 years better!

**YOU**

ARE INVITED TO INSPECT OUR  
STOCK OF  
ASIATIC, FOREIGN AND  
COLONIAL  
POSTAGE STAMP  
IN SETS, SINGLE PACKETS,  
BAGS and in APPROVAL  
SHEETS.

**GRACA & CO.,**

Dealers in Postage Stamps,  
Philatelic Goods, Picture  
Postcards, Toys, etc.  
10, WYNDHAM STREET,  
P.O. Box No. 580, HONG KONG.

**DAIRY FARM SPECIAL.****HOT TIPS IN  
COLD LINES  
FOR THE RACE WEEK.**

COLD HAM  
BRAWN  
LUNCH SAUSAGE  
LIVER SAUSAGE  
FRANKFURTER SAUSAGE  
BOLOGNA SAUSAGE  
POLONY SAUSAGE  
PRESSED BEEF  
ROAST PORK  
PRESSED PORK  
PORK PIES

MADE FRESH DAILY.

THE DAIRY FARM ICE & COLD  
STORAGE CO., LTD.

AT PRESENT OUTDOOR WORK ONLY

**K. FUJIYAMA****PHOTOGRAPHER.**

NIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY AND EN-  
LARGEMENTS A SPECIALITY.  
ENLARGEMENTS CAN BE MADE  
FROM ANY PHOTOGRAPH.  
NEW, OLD OR FADED.

**WEDDINGS AND GROUPS A FEATURE**

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO  
DEVELOPING, PRINTING AND  
ENLARGING AMATEURS'  
PHOTOGRAPHS AT A VERY  
MODERATE CHARGE.

**PROMPT DELIVERY GUARANTEED.**

I can give you as good results as any Photographer  
in the City and better than 95 % of them  
TEMPORARY OFFICE:  
3rd FLOOR, 117, PRATA EAST, HONG KONG.

**MAN LOONG.****PRESERVED GINGER MANUFACTURERS.****NEW SEASON PRESERVED GINGER**

Best quality—Prompt attention to Exporters.

Office:—231, Queen's Road Central. Tel. C. 2530.  
Factory:—2 Godown, Praya, Dundas St., Mongkok. Tel. K. 88.

**Job  
PRINTING**

Our business is to create beautiful printing. Typography, choice of stock — every element that makes for more attractive booklets, folders, etc. is produced here with the care that spells success. Exact estimates of cost are offered on each job, regardless of size.

**THE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE LIMITED**





## LOYD TRIESTINO

FORTNIGHTLY PASSENGER AND FREIGHT SERVICE FOR  
**BRINDISI, VENICE & TRIESTE**

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Fiume, Genoa, All Italian, Adriatic, Levant, Black Sea and Danube Ports. Taking Passengers to London Overland via Brindisi, Venice or Trieste

### NEXT SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

	For Shanghai & Japan	For Singapore & Europe
* S.S. "DUCHESSA D'AOSTA" .....	Mar. 2	Feb. 27
* M.V. "ESQUILINO" .....	Mar. 4	Mar. 4
* M.V. "COL DI LANA" .....	Mar. 26	Mar. 26
* M.V. "ROMOLO" .....	Mar. 2	Apr. 10

\* Cargo steamers only.

All dates are subject to alteration without notice.

For Freight and Passages apply to:

Queen's Building, DODWELL & CO., LTD.,  
Tel. C. 1038. Agents.

## N.Y.K. LINE

### "ASAMA MARU"

NEW MOTOR SHIP

Sails from HONG KONG

at

**10 A.M.**  
**27th FEBRUARY**

for

**SHANGHAI**

Japan Ports, Honolulu, San Francisco  
and Los Angeles.

Due to arrive at Shanghai 1st March.  
Due to arrive at San Francisco 20th March.

For further information apply to:

**NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,**

Phone No. C. 292, 3821 & 3897. (Private exchange to all Depts.)

## O. S. K.

SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP—Via Singapore, Colombo, Suez and Port Said.	
AMAZON MARU .....	Tuesday, 18th March.
RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES—Via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban & Cape Town.	
HAWAII MARU .....	Tuesday, 25th February.
LAPLATA MARU .....	Friday, 21st March.
BOMBAY—Via Singapore & Colombo.	
CELEBES MARU .....	Saturday, 8th March.
MEIGEN MARU .....	Wednesday, 19th March.
DURBAN, LOURENCO MARQUES, BEIRA, DAR-ES-SALAAM, ZANZIBAR & MOMBASA—Via Singapore & Colombo.	
PANAMA MARU .....	Saturday, 1st March.
CANADA MARU .....	Monday, 31st March.
CALCUTTA—Via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.	
SUMATRA MARU .....	Tuesday, 18th March.
VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA & VANCOUVER—Via Japan Ports from Shanghai.	
ALABAMA MARU (from Shanghai) Sunday, 9th March.	
MELBOURNE—Via Manila, Brisbane & Sydney.	
SYDNEY MARU .....	Thursday, 6th March.
HAIPHONG—Via Hothow & Pakhoi.	
MENADO MARU .....	Thursday, 6th March, 10 a.m.
NEW YORK—Via Japan ports, San Francisco & Panama.	
HAMBURG MARU .....	Sunday, 2nd March.
JAPAN PORTS.	
HAMBURG MARU .....	Sunday, 2nd March.
KELUNG—Via Swatow & Amoy.	
CANTON MARU .....	Sunday, 2nd March, Noon.
TAKAO—Via SWATOW & AMOY.	
DELI MARU .....	Thursday, 27th February, 10 a.m.
TAKAO & KELUNG.	
SOUBABAYA MARU .....	Friday, 14th March.

For further particulars please apply to—OSAKA SHOSHIN KAISHA.  
Tel. Central No. 4088, 4089, 4090. M. TAKUCHI, Manager.

### American Express Travelers Cheques

"Sky-blue" in colour, these Cheques give travellers the fullest protection against the loss or theft of their travel funds. They are spendable and acceptable everywhere. For more than 86 years travellers the world over have found personal service and financial security thru their use.

Issued in G\$10, G\$20, G\$30, G\$50, and G\$100, and G\$10 denominations—bound in a small handy wallet—and cost only 3/4 of 1 per cent.

Secure your steamship tickets, hotel reservations and insurance, or plan your cruise or tour through

**THE AMERICAN EXPRESS CO., INC.**

405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499.



## SHIPPING SECTION

### OLD VESSELS PUT TO STRANGE USE

#### A FLOATING ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

##### BROKEN SHIPS

Were you asked to define a ship you would probably describe a vessel which rides the waters, carrying cargo and passengers, fishermen, naval crews, or, as with salvage craft, engineers. And, broadly speaking, this sums up the purposes for which most of our ships are used.

Nevertheless, there are many vessels, large and small, that fulfil functions more unique, some indeed, no longer making voyages, are serving as usefully on dry land as ever they did at sea.

A ship which began a four years' cruise as a floating school in which the boys were taught everything, except seamanship, was certainly a craft unique in marine history. A full-rigged steel ship of 2,000 tons, the Young America, some years ago began a 20,000 mile voyage with one of the oddest passenger lists on record—25 masters and 250 boys.

The idea of this ocean training ship, on which no nautical subjects were taught, was to give these sons of rich men a practical education—not merely to teach the lads French, German, economics and the like, but also, by sailing them from place to place, to enable them to study and apply their knowledge for themselves in the actual countries.

Thus the boys learned archaeology in the temples of India and Turkey and among the pyramids of Egypt, and poked into foreign languages and foreign politics in the ports of Europe, China, and Japan. The school fee for the four years' novel course was £1,000 for each pupil.

##### Ocean Police

Just as our guardians in blue move about our streets with noiseless feet while we are sleeping, trying the doors of houses and shops to see that all is safe, so over our rivers and seas do police boats cruise swiftly in search of offenders.

These police patrols are very active sea sleuths. The cabin is a police court. The skipper is judge and jury, empowered to take men and vessels alike into custody, to assess damages and impose penalties. Sea patrols must arrest all "drunks" found on the marine highways—dangerous, abandoned derelicts that reel blindly through the waters to the danger of other shipping.

Sometimes the police searchlight opportunely cuts the darkness to the surprise and dismay of sea criminals—tramps sailing without lights, to save oil; elusive, darting smugglers; travellers that ply in forbidden waters, or, meanly steal the nets of other fishing boats; which stretch under the water for a mile or more.

Vessels on the roads used by marine traffic, moreover, must not exceed a speed limit of a very few miles per hour. A ship plunging quickly through the water throws up a wash or stern wave which might easily swamp other boats. Not long ago a liner passing at speed down the Solent threw up a back wave which wrecked many small craft and flooded several streets of the town.

One ship, or rather, barge, boasts a clergyman for a skipper. The Morning Star is a floating Roman Catholic Church, fitted with organ, altar and pews, and for years she has been touring the rivers and canals of France. Moored alongside one quay or another, the Morning Star has always a full congregation at Mass every Sunday. The priest who officiates is virtually captain and crew of his own little craft.

Another novel floating chapel was the Messenger of Peace. The indefatigable evangelist, John Williams—after whom later the London Missionary Society named two of their mission ships—built his own small vessel on the island of Rarotonga, with only native help.

##### Flagship as Bargain

Like Crusoe, this missionary, far from civilisation, resorted to the most ingenious expedients. He used coconut fibre for oakum, bark for ropes, wood pegs for bolts and mats for sails. But he completed his ship. The crudely fashioned Messenger of Peace sailed from island to island for three years, spreading the Gospel, and covering in safety nearly 4,000 miles.

And after nearly a century of magnificent service Nelson's flagship the Foudroyant—the oldest two-decker in the British navy—was sold for £1,000 to German shipbreakers. Apart from her immortal associations with the Little Admiral, it was on this ship that Abercromby died from the wounds he received at Aboukir Bay. Naturally there was a tremendous outcry when the Foudroyant was disposed of in this way. But two patriotic Englishmen saved the situation by buying back the old warship.

They brought her home after she had been towed up the Swinmunde in the Baltic and had her fitted up as a museum of Nelson relics. The ship of priceless memory became one of the chief attractions of Blackpool. Five years later she foundered in a storm off the coast.

##### Tenements and Factories

More than once ships which have outlived their usefulness at sea have helped to solve the housing problem on land. Here and there in lonely, remote spots, "other hulls" provide happy homes for families who would otherwise be homeless.

Crossing the ferry from Barrow to Walney Island one used to be able to see an occupied "tenement" house which is an old ship, with improvised door and windows cut in her sides. And one cannot imagine a vessel having dared to remove the "Noah's Ark" from Gibraltar. Point, near Sheerness. This vessel, which has served as a dwelling for over a generation, is only locally known as the Ark. In the days gone by she bore another name. You enter this ship house through a door cut in the side—and once within you are delighted at its cheerfulness and space.

One sees all sorts of queer sea craft. Marine navvies—dredgers that cut into the river sea or bed—are not very elegant ships. Some big whalers are not merely fishing boats, but tanneries and canning factories as well. After the great fish has been hauled on deck it is cut up; its meat cooked and canned; its oil is stored in barrels, and in this novel sea factory its many by-products are prepared on the spot for the market. Sometimes a shapeless mass on the horizon, towed by many tugs reveals itself as a huge floating dock.

There are floating provision shops that steam around our big fisheries selling groceries and stores. The sale of any kind of liquor is absolutely prohibited at sea. Nevertheless, in certain waters, a brisk trade is done by "coopers"—shady floating pubs that supply ship's crews with filthy spirits at famine prices. Again, coasting vessels which appear to be beautiful pleasure yachts frequently turn out to be gambling hells for the feeding of rich young dupes or the working bases of expert inshore crackmen.

A man died worth only a couple of pounds, who in his day had been a millionaire. "What a fall was there, my countrymen!" If a beautiful ship could feel pride, one could give equal pity to a king's magnificent yacht which became a coal barge!

The Denton—built in England in 1884 for the Khedive of Egypt—was the fastest and most luxurious vessel of her size on the seas. But her royal owner tired of her, and in 1870 she was bought by W. H. Vanderbilt to transport from Egypt to America a great obelisk weighing nearly 200 tons.

A huge hole had to be cut in the bows of the ship to get the gigantic stone aboard; and although she crossed the ocean safely with her burden she had to be severely hacked again before she could be unloaded. The Denton's glory was sold to a coastal trading company, and she is probably still running as a seagoing coal barge along the coast of New England—Bolton Evening News.

### TRADE IN BRISTOL

#### The Position in December

Trade at the port of Bristol during December showed an increase in the number of foreign arrivals and in the register tonnage represented; but a decrease in the coastwise section compared with the same period a year ago. Grain again figured largely in the list of foreign imports, with 16 arrivals during the month. Imports of fruit brought eight steamers to the docks, while there was a fairly busy time with tankers from overseas and coastwise. The berth line connections were maintained; while the Australasian service was up to the average with steamers to load or discharge. Two liners from the West Coast of Africa were accommodated during the month.

At all three docks there were 85 foreign arrivals last month with a register tonnage of 191,680, compared with 72 arrivals in 1928 with a tonnage of 176,553, or an increase in arrivals of 13 and in tonnage 15,047. Foreign imports were—General 43, grain 16, fruit 8, oil 7, cocoa 2, locust beans 2, and one each of concentrates, sugar, lumber, resin and turfs, and woodpulp.

From coastwise ports there were 370 arrivals last month with a register tonnage of 68,453, compared with 458 arrivals last year with a tonnage of 72,909, or a decrease in arrivals of 88 and in tonnage 4,456. Coastwise imports totalled 66,515 tons. There were 44 foreign sailings last month with a register tonnage of 118,942, compared with 45 sailings a year ago with a tonnage of 100,971, or a decrease in sailings of one but a gain in tonnage of 17,971. Foreign exports were—General 80, and one each of rice, meal, coke, and saltcake. There were 447 sailings for coastwise ports in December, with a register tonnage of 147,125, compared with 500 sailings last year with a tonnage of 153,653, or a decrease in sailings of 53 and in tonnage 6,528. Coastwise exports totalled 30,722 tons.

#### WARSHIPS IN PORT

British warships in port this morning were:—In Basin of R.N. Dockyard, Tamarr, Seamew, Bridgewater, Sandwich, Tarantula. North Arm: City of Marseilles. West Wall: Kent, Peterfield. In Dock: Seraph, Herald, Iniquity. No. 6 Buoy: Suffolk. No. 7 Buoy: Birkenhead. No. 8 Buoy: Birkenhead. No. 11 Buoy: Birkenhead. No. 12 Buoy: Birkenhead. No. 13 Buoy: Birkenhead. Foreign: min-o-war in port were:—U.S. Destroyer Steward. Japanese Training Ship, Tei-shan. French Gunboat, Vigilant. Portuguese (Gumbo) Patria.

### NAVAL CONFERENCE TO RE-COMMENCE

#### NAVAL EXPERTS TO PRESENT THEIR REPORT

##### VIEWS EXCHANGED

Paris, Yesterday. The French delegation to the Naval Conference in London is now as follows:—Messieurs Chautemps, Briand, Albert Sarraut, Lamoureux and De Fleurbaey.—Reuter.

Rugby, Yesterday. It is anticipated that if the French Chamber accords M. Chautemps's vote of confidence tomorrow night, the French delegation will return to London on Wednesday. Signor Grandi, who has spent the week-end in Rome, is expected in London to-morrow, and the Naval Conference will resume its work on Thursday. It is unlikely that there will be a plenary meeting this week, as the work in committees, owing to the adjournment of the conference, is insufficiently advanced.

During the interval the delegations remaining in London have on several occasions exchanged views on various aspects of the problems before them, but the only formal work that has progressed is that of the Expert Committee, entrusted with examining the question of special vessels which, not being ships exempt from limitation, do not fall within any of the categories agreed upon by the First Committee of the Conference. To-day technicians examined certain questions referred to them for decision by the experts, who will to-morrow meet to draft their report.

##### Dinner to Delegates

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Henderson, gave a dinner this evening at the Foreign Office in honour of the delegates to the Naval Conference. In addition to members of the Government, leaders of the other parties were among the guests. Mrs. Henderson at the same time gave a dinner party to the wives and daughter of the delegates to the Naval Conference at 10, Downing Street, placed at her disposal by the Prime Minister and Miss MacDonald.—British Wireless Service.

##### Earlier Cables

Paris, Yesterday. M. Chautemps, in an interview, said M. Briand would take charge of the naval negotiations in London, as to which M. Tardieu's memorandum will remain the basis of France's position.—Reuter.

London, Yesterday. Experts met at St. James's Palace this morning, and it is understood they reached an agreement on certain technical points, and will now submit their report.

Authoritative quarters are not disposed to discuss the report that the conference is likely to close down until 1935. It was stated, "Time and events alone can show whether such reports are accurate." At the same time it is felt that much depends on happenings in the French Chamber to-morrow.

A Paris message says the Cabinet's first meeting discussed the programme, and M. Chautemps said afterwards that the Government were confident of the issue of the battle in Parliament to-morrow, when it will appeal for a Republican majority.—Reuter.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

STEAMSHIPS - HOTELS - RAILWAYS - EXPRESS

### SHORTEST AND QUICKEST ROUTE ACROSS THE PACIFIC TO VICTORIA & VANCOUVER

17 Days Hongkong-Vancouver, 14 Days Shanghai-Vancouver		11 Days Kobe-Vancouver, 9 Days Yokohama-Vancouver			
	Hong Kong	Shanghai	Kobe	Yokohama	Vancouver
	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Mar. 5	Mar. 8	Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 23
EMPERESS OF CANADA	Mar. 19	Mar. 22	Mar. 25	Mar. 27	Apr. 4
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	Apr. 9	Apr. 12	Apr. 15	Apr. 17	Apr. 26
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Apr. 30	May 3	May 6	May 8	May 17
EMPERESS OF CANADA	May 15	May 18	May 21	May 22	May 30
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	June 4	June 7	June 10	June 12	June 21
EMPERESS OF ASIA	June 25	June 28	July 1	July 3	July 12
EMPERESS OF CANADA	July 10	July 13	July 15	July 17	July 25
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	July 23	July 26	July 29	July 31	Aug. 9
EMPERESS OF JAPAN	Aug. 7	Aug. 10	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 22
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Aug. 20	Aug. 23	Aug. 26	Aug. 28	Sept. 6
EMPERESS OF CANADA	Sept. 4	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 11	Sept. 19
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	Sept. 17	Sept. 20	Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 4
EMPERESS OF JAPAN	Oct. 2	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 17
EMPERESS OF ASIA	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 1
EMPERESS OF CANADA	Oct. 30	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 14
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 29

Regular sailing hour Noon.

Regular sailing hour Noon.

(E/Asia and E/Russia call at Nagasaki the day after departure from S'hai)

Atlantic sailings from Montreal and Quebec every few days to Liverpool, Southampton, Glasgow, Antwerp, Cherbourg and Hamburg

#### HONG KONG—MANILA SERVICE

	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
	Hong Kong	Manila	Manila	Hong Kong
Mar. 9, 5 p.m.	Mar. 11	EMPEROR OF CANADA	Mar. 14	Mar. 18
Mar. 31, 5 p.m.	Apr. 2	EMPEROR OF RUSSIA	Apr. 4	Apr. 8

#### CANADIAN PACIFIC EXPRESS

TRAVELLERS CHEQUES

PAYABLE THE WORLD OVER.

THE SAFEST AND MOST CONVENIENT WAY TO CARRY FUNDS.

Passenger Department: Tel. C.725 Cables: "GACANPAC."  
Freight and Express: Tel. C.42 Cables: "NAUTILUS."

## BRITISH WUCHOW LINE

FEBRUARY—MARCH SAILINGS

DEPARTURE HOURS:

Hong Kong 5.30 p.m. Wuchow 1.30 p.m.

S.S. "TAI HING"

[1,068 tons—Capt. Trotter]

WED. 24th FEBRUARY

TUES. 4th MARCH

SUN. 9th TUES. 19th

FRI. 14th SUN. 30th

S.S. "TAI MING"

[649 tons—Capt. G. J. Spink]

MARCH

SUN. 2nd MON. 17th

FRI. 7th SUN. 23rd

WED. 12th FRI. 28th

For information apply to

**KWONG WING CO. LTD.**

87, Connaught Road West,

Phone: Central 893.

### FOR NORWAY

#### British Regaining Lost Industry

Proposing the toast of "British Shipbuilding and the Palmers Company" at the launch, at Palmers Shipbuilding and Iron Co.'s yard, Hebburn, of the ore-carrying steamer Selje (12,000 tons deadweight), building for A/S Rederiet Odjell, of Bergen, Mr. F. R. Odjell said that British shipbuilders had built for Norwegians for generations, and the Norwegians had largely benefited.

For a few years after the War the Norwegians did not build vessels here, but neither did they build them in Norway. The abnormal times were passing, and the normal times coming again, and he hoped that the Norwegians would build

their vessels again in Britain. The Palmers Co. are also supplying for reciprocating engines for the vessel.

#### MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

The P. & O. s.s. Rawalpindi left Singapore for this port on February 23 at 9 a.m. with the outward English Mail, and is due here on February 27 at about 10 a.m. The P. & O. s.s. Khiva from Hong Kong arrived London on February 22 at 4 p.m.

#### CONSIGNEES' NOTICE

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. "Col Di Lana" are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after February 28.

## BANK LINE LTD.

AGENTS FOR

**ELLERMAN & BUCKNALL S.S. CO., LTD.**

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION WITHOUT NOTICE.

UNITED KINGDOM & CONTINENT ..... ELLERMAN LINE

S.S. "CITY OF HERFORD" London, Rotterdam & Hamburg ..... 9th March.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, & BALTIMORE ... AMERICAN & MANCHURIAN LINE

ALSO AGENTS FOR

**ANDREW WEIR & CO.**

SERVICES TO

BOSTON, NEW YORK, & BALTIMORE ..... AMERICAN & ORIENTAL LINE

S.S. "CLYDEBANK" ..... 7th March.

MAURITIUS & SOUTH AFRICA ..... ORIENTAL AFRICAN LINE

S.S. "TINHON" ..... 10th April.

Loading for Mauritius, Reunion, Delagoa Bay, Durban, East London, Algoa Bay (Port Elizabeth), Mossel Bay and



# P. & O.-British India Apcar and Eastern & Australian Lines

(COMPANIES incorporated in ENGLAND).  
MAIL AND PASSENGER STEAMERS.

## TAKING CARGO FOR

STRAITS, JAVA, BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA, PERSIAN GULF,  
WEST INDIES, MAURITIUS, EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA,  
AUSTRALASIA, INCLUDING NEW ZEALAND AND  
QUEENSLAND PORTS, AND RED SEA, EGYPT,  
CONSTANTINOPLE, GREECE, LEVANTINE  
PORTS, EUROPE, &c.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY  
DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.  
(Under Contract with H.M. Government.)

S. S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination
MACEDONIA	11,120	1030 1st Mar.	Marseilles & London.
KASHMIR	8,085	8th Mar.	Marseilles, London, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
KALYAN	9,144	15th Mar.	Marseilles, London, Hull, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
*ALIPORE	5,273	19th Mar.	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
RAWALPINDI	10,619	29th Mar.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
MALWA	10,980	12th Apr.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	10,568	26th Apr.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BELTANA	—	3rd May	Marseilles & London.

\* Cargo only.

Frequent connection from Port Said for Passengers and Cargo to  
Constantinople, Piraeus, Smyrna and other Levant Ports by steamers of the  
Khedival Mail Steamship Co.

## BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS.

TAKLIWA	7,936	1930 27th Feb.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TILAWA	10,006	13th Mar.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TALAMBA	8,018	22nd Mar.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TAKADA	9,649	28th Mar.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TALMA	10,000	11th Apr.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.

B.I. Apcar Line steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st  
and 2nd class passengers. All steamers are fitted with wireless and  
carry a qualified surgeon.

## EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South).

*TANDA	9,956	1930 28th Feb.	Manila, Sandakan, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
ST. ALBANS	4,500	4th Apr.	
NELLORE	6,853	2nd May	

\* Calls Holo, Port Holland & Cairns.

Regular monthly sailings from Hong Kong to Japan and Hong Kong  
to Australia.

The E. & A. S.S. Co., Ltd., steamers will also call at Shanghai, Holo,  
Cebu, Kolambungan, Tawao, Timor, Darwin, or other ports en route as in-  
strument offers.

Frequent connections from Australia with the following:—  
The Union S.S. Company's steamers to the United Kingdom via New  
Zealand, Vancouver, San Francisco, etc.

The P. & O. Royal Mail steamers to London via Suez Canal.  
The P. & O. Branch Service of steamers to London via the Cape.  
The New Zealand Shipping Company's steamers for Southampton and  
London via Panama Canal.

## SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

1930			
TALAMBA	8,018	27th Feb. 7 a.m.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
RAWALPINDI	16,610	28th Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKADA	9,649	5th Mar.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe, Y'hama & Osaka
ST. ALBANS	4,500	11th Mar.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
MALWA	10,980	14th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
*NAGORE	5,283	19th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
TALMA	10,000	21st Mar.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
RAJPUTANA	10,568	28th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
SHIRALA	7,841	31st Mar.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
*BELTANA	—	6th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
KHYBER	9,114	6th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKLIWA	7,936	8th Apr.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
KASHGAR	9,005	11th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama

\* Cargo only.

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.  
WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY FITTED ON ALL STEAMERS.  
Passengers for Rangoon must defray their own Hotel expenses at  
Singapore while awaiting the on-carrying steamer.

All cabins are fitted with Electric Fans free of charge.  
Steamers on London and Australian Lines are fitted with Laundries.  
Parcels measuring not more than 2½ ft. x 2 ft. x 1 ft. will be received  
at the Company's Office up to Noon on the day previous to sailing.

For further information, Passage, Freight, Handbooks, etc., apply to:—  
**MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.,**  
P. & O. Building, Connaught Rd. C., Hong Kong. Agents.

## THE KWONG HIP LUNG CO. LTD.

ENGINEERS and SHIPBUILDERS, BOILER MAKERS, BRASS and  
IRON FOUNDERS. All work done in this establishment is guaranteed.  
We have over thirty years' experience. We own two slipways and can  
accommodate any craft of 200 feet long.

Town Office: 64, Connaught Road Central, Hong Kong. Tel. Central No. 459.  
Shipyard: Sham-Sui-po, Kowloon, Hong Kong. Tel. Kowloon No. 3.  
Estimates furnished on application.  
Hong Kong, April 1, 1929.

## WASHINGTON BALL

Enjoyable Gathering at  
Shameen

FIRST SINCE 1925

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton Yesterday.  
The American community held the first Washington Ball since 1925 on Saturday, which was a great success. Many of the American members of the Hong Kong community came up and helped to swell the number which were already large as nearly every one in Canton was present.

The decorations were tastefully thought out, the hall of the Canton Club (where the ball was held) being decked out in greenery, with myriads of fairy lights in red, white, and blue.

Mr. Douglas Jenkins, American Consul-General made a welcome speech, which was aptly phrased, as is ever the case when Mr. Jenkins talks.

This marks the closing of the Shameen season, which has been notable for a remarkably successful series of Balls, from the St. Andrew's Ball, the Bachelors' Ball, and the St. George's Ball to last night's gathering. All four have been the best of their kind for the past 10 years.

## POLICE RESERVE

Orders for the Current  
Week

### INSPECTION PARADE

Orders by the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Volke, C.M.G., Inspector-General of Police, states:—

Chinese Company  
Training Course Part 2. All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed part 2 of Training Course, will attend the instruction classes at the Police Training School, Kowloon, under Chief Inspector R. J. Paterson every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m. sharp, commencing to-day.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Chinese Company are reminded to attend at Central Police Station on Thursday, for the monthly inspection of Equipment etc. by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—Blue uniform, cap with white cover; belt (without frog), truncheon, whistle, armband and badge, "Pocket-Police-man," and notebook to be carried. Those not in possession of uniform will attend in mufti. No member may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officers will make it a point of being present.

Revolver Practice. Revolver practice for members of the Chinese Company has been fixed for Sunday, March 9, and they are requested to keep the date open.

Indian Company  
Leave. Constable R246 U. T. Thad has been granted eight months' leave of absence from the Colony as from February 6.

Flying Squad  
The weekly instructional patrol of the Hong Kong Section will take place on Friday, and all members are requested to attend this patrol. Fall in at the Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—Winter uniform and cap with white cover.

Sharpshooters' Company  
Strength. Constable R422 C. H. Coutts has been taken from the strength of the Sharpshooters' Company, as from February 20.

Rifle Instruction Class. No Class will be held this week owing to the Races.

Revolver Practice. The regular revolver practice will be carried out at Kennedy Road Range on Sunday, at 10 a.m. Members will bring their revolvers, belts, holsters and rifles. Uniform optional.

(Sgd.) D. L. KING,  
D.S.P. (R).

## SIMON COMMISSION

Rugby, Yesterday.  
The Secretary of State for India, Captain Wedgwood Benn, said that he hoped to be able to say in a week when the Simon Commission report would be ready.—British Wireless Service.

## NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS

FROM CALCUTTA & COLOMBO TO  
SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

Regular Passenger and Cargo Service to South African Ports.  
Through Bills of Lading issued from Hong Kong.

For Freight or Passage apply to:—

**DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.**  
Telephone Central 1030.

## BANISHEE'S CRIMES

Convicted of Theft of  
Scarf

Tooi Young, a returned banishee, was at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning sentenced to 8 months' hard labour and 12 strokes of the birch, for returning before his term of 10 years from 1928 had expired.

A further charge of the theft of a blue scarf from a Chinese woman at 722 Nathan Road was preferred against him. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four months' jail with hard labour, this term to run consecutively with the first sentence.

A charge of offering a bribe of \$2.80 to a detective was also registered against the banishee but this was dropped.

The accused was arrested in Prince Edward Road with the scarf. An inquisitive detective questioned him as to its ownership, and accused told him that he had stolen it.

As regards the alleged bribery money (\$2.80) his Worship made an order that it be returned to the prisoner at the termination of his jail sentence.

## LAID TO REST

Funeral of Mrs. F. J.  
Gellion

The funeral of Mrs. F. J. Gellion, whose death was reported yesterday, took place at the Protestant cemetery, Happy Valley, last evening, the service at the graveside being conducted by the Rev. W. Walton Rogers.

The chief mourners were the deceased lady's daughter and Mr. T. Ramsay, and among the attendance were the Rev. Father Bora, Messrs. H. Dixon, R. Pestonji, P. A. Dixon, J. Ormiston, A. Forbes, A. C. Morgan, W. Wetherpoon, C. Atkinson, R. T. Taylor, and G. White.

Floral tributes were sent by—"Eileen," "George and Lulu," "Peggy and Derek," "Tom," "Lilley and Daisy," "Alex. and Clara," "Clark and Anne," "Bob and Jess," "Lionel and Mimmiel," Freda Dixon, Rev. and Mrs. W. Walton Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, Mrs. Ramsay and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ormiston, Bella, Betty and Andre Pestonji, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ainslie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pestonji, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibson and Louise, Mrs. W. Harris Gill and Miss Gill, Ada and Mickey Williams, Mrs. B. Oxberry, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Louise White and Mr. and Mrs. G. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keates, Miss Hammetton, Mr. and Misses Heron, Mrs. Capell and family, Capt. and Mrs. W. Lee, Mrs. N. S. Moses and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sanderson Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robinson, Mrs. E. O. Murphy and family, Mrs. Hopwar and Miss Hopwar, Mrs. R. Carroll and Tootsie.

Messrs. Henry F. Bunje, P. A. Dixon, C. A. and I. L. Goldenberg, R. R. Roxburgh, C. H. Miles, H. F. Jason, W. Wetherpoon, A. C. Morgan, H. Dixon, C. R. Ham, Ho Bing-wan, the coolie and amah, "Boy," "Boy's" wife, Ah Mui.

## TRAIN HITS CAR

Eight Persons Killed in  
Crash

Kenosha, Wisconsin.  
Yesterday.  
Eight persons were killed and 60 injured in a triple collision at a level crossing, when a passenger train hit and hurled a motor-car in front of an oncoming goods train.—Reuter's American Service.

## AUSTRALIAN-ORIENTAL LINE, LTD.

"CHANGTE" & "TAIPING"

These New Vessels Maintain a Regular Service from  
HONG KONG TO AUSTRALIAN PORTS  
via MANILA and THURSDAY ISLAND.

Through Bills of Lading issued to all Australian, New Zealand and Tasmanian Ports.

Excellent and Most Up-to-Date First and Second Class Passenger Accommodation.

HONG KONG TO SYDNEY—10th DATE

Steamers	Due Hong Kong	Due to Sail
TAIPING	11th March	16th March
CHANGTE	11th April	16th April
TAIPING		
CHANGTE		

For Freight and Passage apply to:—**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**  
Tel. C. 36. Agents.

## CONSIGNEES.

LLOYD TRIESTINO NAV. CO.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Chartered Steamship.

From Trieste, Venice, Port Said, Suez, Aden, Colombo, Penang & Singapore.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 22nd February, 1930.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 10th prox. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 28th inst. at 10 a.m., by our surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bill of Lading will be countersigned by.

**DODWELL & CO., LTD.,**  
Agents.  
Hong Kong, February 22, 1930.

## HONG KONG TIDE

The tide-table given below has been obtained by aid of the Tide-predicting Machine, which includes 40 components for the better prediction of tides, from the result of the analysis of the tidal observations, taken at the Kowloon tidal observatory under the direction of Dr. Dobson during the years 1887, 1888 and 1889.

The times and heights are given for Kowloon; but they may be used for the Victoria Naval Yard and Aberdeen, the differences being very small.

The times of high and low-water must not be considered to coincide with the times of slack-water and change of current, the two phenomena being quite distinct.

February 25 to March 3, 1930.

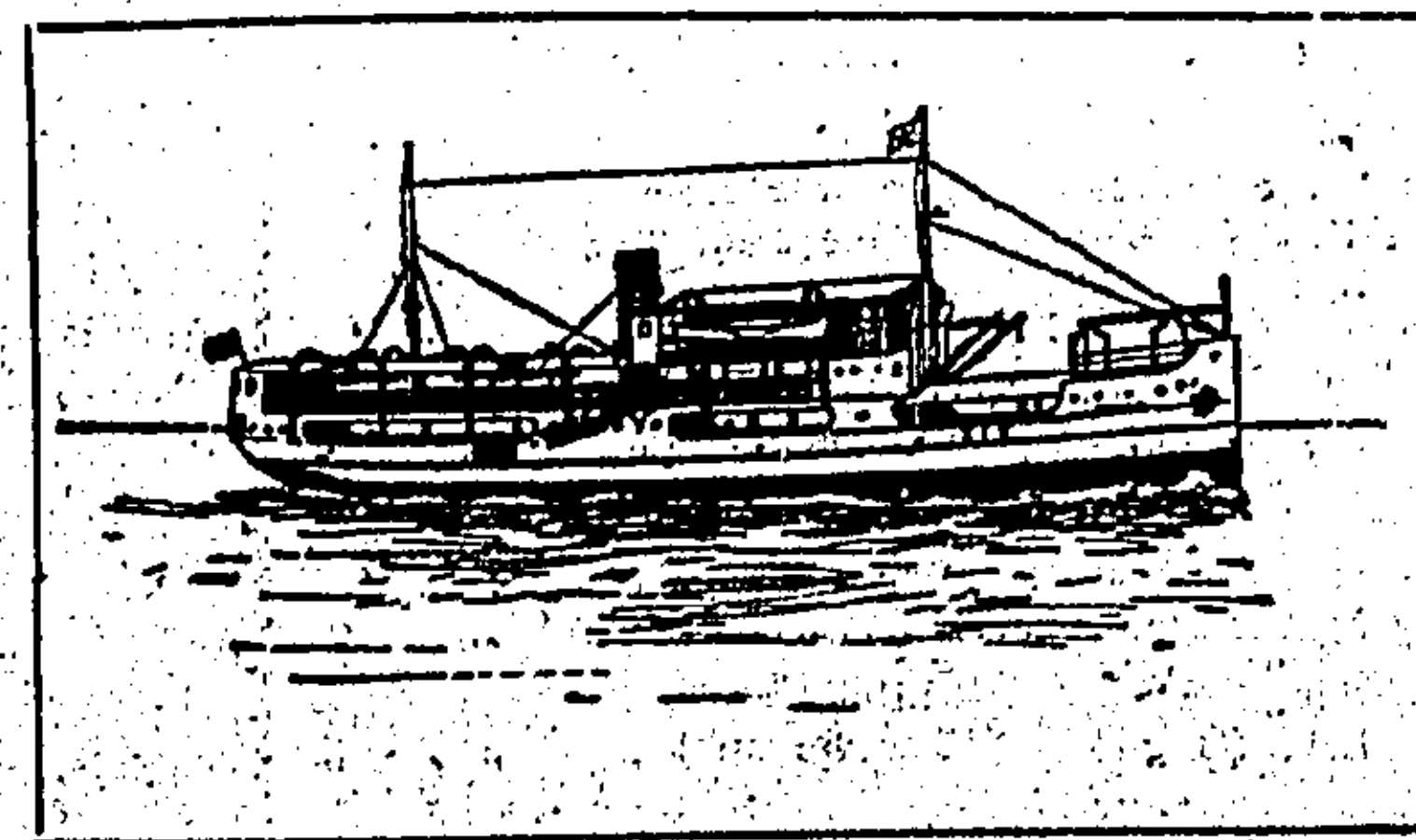
DATE	HIGH WATER	LOWER WATER
Feb.	Standard Time	Standard Time
Tues. 25	m 9 54 7 44 a m 19 9	4.1 0.7 m 3 31
Wed. 26	8 22 a m 10 24	3.7 0.9 m 3 10
Thurs 27	8 53 a m 10 33	3.6 0.9 m 3 3
Fri. 28	9 23 a m 10 41	3.5 0.9 m 3 3
Sat. 29	10 7 a m 10 54	3.4 0.9 m 3 3
Sun. 30	10 41 a m 11 14	3.3 0.9 m 3 3
Mon. 31	11 16 a m 11 24	3.2 0.9 m 3 3

Problems of the proper kind of education for producing great men of business have been raised by Mr. A. M. Samuel, M.P.

## THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "MANIFESTO" HONGKONG.

DOCK OWNERS, SHIP BUILDERS, MARINE AND LAND ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS, IRON, STEEL, AND BRASS FOUNDERS, FORGE MASTERS, ELECTRICIANS.



M.S. "SUGBO"

Single screw steel passenger and cargo motor ship. Dimensions: — 158' 0" B.P. x 28' 0" M.D. x 11' 6" M.D.; D.W. 479 tons; B.H.P. 360; Speed 10½ knots. Built and machinery installed by The Hong Kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., to the order of La Naviera Filipina Inc., Cebu for Philippine coasting service.

Please address enquiries to the Chief Manager:

**R. M. DYER, B.Sc., M.I.N.A.,** Kowloon Dock, Hong Kong.

Codes Used:  
A1, A.B.C.  
Fifth Edition;  
Engineering  
First &  
Second Edition;  
West  
and  
Wat-  
kins.



**DULCIPEL**

Dainty Dusting Powder.

Imparts a natural freshness and sweetness to the skin. Removes and prevents any odour of perspiration.

In Elegant Tins, 75 cts.

SOLE DISTRIBUTORS:

**A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.**

The Hong Kong Dispensary 'Phone C. 16  
and Kowloon Dispensary 'Phone K. 19.



It may seem incredible, but the millions of oxygen bubbles released by Persil in the washing water actually remove more dirt from clothes than would hours of hard washboard rubbing. The gentleness of these bubbles saves the clothes—no rubbing, no wear. Yet they clean thoroughly—and Purify. Persil has valuable germ-destroying powers. You can do the whole washing with Persil—everything!

**PERSIL—THE AMAZING OXYGEN WASHER.**



Sole Agents—

**BORNEMANN & CO.,**

HONG KONG AND CANTON.

**REFLEX CAMERAS** with 4.5-3.5 & 2.5 lenses  
**KODAKS—LOCAL VIEWS—LANTERN SLIDES.**  
**ALWAYS IN STOCK.**  
EXTRA SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO DEVELOPING  
PRINTING, ENLARGING  
**THE KWONG KWUI CO., LTD.**  
PHOTOGRAPHERS' ASSOCIATION  
PHOTO SUPPLIES  
74, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong.  
Telephone No. C. 2170.

## MORE POPULAR HITS

from THE TALKIES.

- "The Show Boat"  
21996) The Lonesome Road ... Shikret-Victor Orchestra.  
Suzana ...
- "Hallelujah"  
22078) Waiting at the end of the Road ... All Star Trio.  
My Song of the Nile ... The Troubadours.
- "Gold Diggers of Broadway"  
22027) Painting the Clouds with Sunshine ... Goldkette's Orch.  
Tip-toe thru the Tulips with me ...
- "Sunny Side Up"  
22124) Sunny Side Up ... Hamp's Serenaders.  
If I had a Talking Picture of you ...
- "Broadway Melody"  
21984) The Wedding of the Painted Doll ... Charles King.  
Broadway Melody ...
- 22043) The Wedding of the Painted Doll ... Victor Salon Orchestra.  
Pagan Love Song (from "The Pagan") ...
- "Hollywood Revue of 1929"  
22022) Your Mother and Mine ... Johnny Marvin.  
Finding the Long Way Home ...
- 22057) Singin' in the Rain ... Johnny Marvin  
Orange Blossom Time ...
- 22012) Singin' the Blues ... Armat's Orch.  
Your Mother and Mine ... Shikret-Victor Orch.

**S. MOUTRIE & CO., LTD.**

(Victor Distributors)  
Chater Road

**WHITEWAYS****OUR SPECIAL LINE**

IN

**GENUINE AUTO STROP RAZORS**  
THE "SHAVEEZI"

THE "SHAVEEZI"  
AUTO STROP  
RAZOR SET



THE "SHAVEEZI"

Is a Self-Stropping genuine "Vale" Auto Strop Safety Razor which keeps its own blades sharp for weeks and weeks. Set as illustrated, contains silver-plated razor with 3 blades and strop, all complete in neat leatherette case. A facsimile of the very popular razor that was formerly sold at one Guinea a set.

NOTE OUR PRICE **\$1.35** EACH  
SPARE VALET BLADES, STROPS, CREAM, ETC., ETC.

**WHITEWAY LAIDLAW & CO., LTD.**  
HONG KONG.

**The China Mail.**

[Every evening except Sunday. Annual subscription, excluding postage abroad, H.K. \$80, payable in advance. Local delivery free.]

**Overland China Mail.**

[The weekly edition of the "China Mail." Annual subscription, H.K. \$15 including postage \$15, payable in advance.]

Published by  
**The Newspaper Enterprise, Ltd.**  
Printers & Publishers.  
No. 3A, WYNDHAM STREET,  
HONG KONG.

TELEPHONES—  
Office: Central 22.  
Editorial: Central 4641.  
Cable Address—Mail, Hong Kong.

All communications should be addressed to the Newspaper Enterprise, Ltd., to whom all remittances should be made payable.  
London Office—The Far Eastern Advertising Agency (London), Ltd., 36-38, Southampton Street, Strand, W.C.2.

Hong Kong, Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1930.

**FREE TRADE?**

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the late Conservative Prime Minister, asserts that the Crown Colonies will be threatened with bankruptcy if the policy of the new "United Empire Party" is forced on them. This sudden solicitude for the Crown Colonies is very touching! During the last three General Election campaigns one can look almost in vain for any expression of care for the Crown Colonies on the part of the Party leaders at Home. The Crown Colonies are left to the tender mercies of the Minister who happens to be appointed Secretary of State for the Colonies and his permanent advisers, few, if any, of whom have ever set foot in even the Crown Colony nearest to the Mother Country. And where the Secretary of State and his advisers may fail to keep an eye on the Crown Colonies—on the map!—they trustfully look to the Crown Agents for the Colonies to do their best—or their worst—for the Crown Colonies. Where, they ask, when they do think about it at all, do the Crown Colonies come into the scheme of Empire matters? Are not their hands kept sufficiently busy attending to the Dominions? Why consider the Colonies at all? The Crown Colonies have no High Commissioner or Agent-General in London to keep an ever-watchful eye on their interests. Barely is it that a member of the House of Commons hails from a Crown Colony, and when it happens that a Looker from Hong Kong and a Penny from Singapore add the

names, they find themselves "ploughing their lonely furrow" (a la Rosebery) on policies intimately affecting the Crown Colonies. Thus, concerning Mr. Stanley Baldwin's sudden concern for the Crown Colonies, fearful lest they become bankrupt were the "United Empire Party" policy to be forced on them, the Crown Colonies can only cynically smile.

The fact of the matter is that Mr. Baldwin has merely seized upon the hypothetical fate of the Crown Colonies to bolster up his case against the new Party that has come into being. It is so easy to prate now of Empire Free Trade having always been the ideal of the Conservative Party, and that any split in the Conservative Party now would retard the consummation of that ideal. Had there been any fiscal experts in the last two Baldwin Administrations they would have anticipated the sponsors of the new "United Empire Party" by the creation of a concrete scheme designed to hasten the day when the ideal—the ideal of Mr. Baldwin's own Party, be it noted—of Empire Free Trade could be brought into the realm of practical politics.

Mr. Baldwin, it is to be feared, has lost an excellent opportunity of educating his own political adherents at Home and of fostering the idea of his ideal among the statesmen of the respective self-governing Dominions. Some years ago a fiscal expert in Australia prophesied to the writer that the plank of "Empire Free Trade, Preference for Britain's friends, and Protection against Britain's avowed enemies" would be found in the platform of one of the leading political Parties in the Mother Country or Overseas. It looks as if that prophecy is on the eve of fulfillment, although much has to be conceded to each other by the Mother Country and the Dominions before such a movement can make any real headway. Until that comes to pass the Cinderellas—the Crown Colonies—need not lose any sleep over the prospect of going into bankruptcy under the fiscal policy of any Party or Parties in the Mother Country.

**CORRESPONDENCE****PRESENTATION TO MR. PATTERSON**

[To the Editor of "The China Mail"]  
Sir—Mr. W. L. Patterson is leaving the Colony on retirement after thirty years' indefatigable service to the community in general and to the Church of England in particular. It has been decided to make Mr. Patterson a presentation from the Cathedral congregation and invitations to subscribe to the presentation fund have been sent to all those whose names are on

the Cathedral electoral roll. There may be many others in the Colony who would like to be associated with the presentation and we therefore ask for the hospitality of your columns to make known that subscriptions to the fund may be sent to Mr. P. S. Cassidy, c/o Messrs. John D. Hutchison & Co.

It is proposed to make the presentation to Mr. Patterson in the Cathedral Hall on Thursday, March 13. Further notice will appear later in the advertisement columns of the Press.

Yours, etc.,

ALFRED SWANN.

Dean

P. S. CASSIDY.

Hong Kong, February 25.

**CHINESE MILITARY SITUATION****YEN HSI-SAN QUESTIONED ON MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS****JOINT CONFERENCE**

Shanghai, Yesterday. President Chiang Kai-shek has wired to General Yen Hsi-san, asking him to explain the reasons of the mobilisation and movements of troops on the Tsin-Pu and Ping-Han Lines.

Having paid special attention to the defence of the Tsin-Pu Line, General Liu Chih personally proceeded on February 21 to Mongshan and Sikshan for inspection. A military conference was subsequently called on the next day at Hauchow and attended by the high officers of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Division.

General Hsueh Chen, the first man of General Yen Hsi-san, left on February 22 from Shansi for Peking, expecting to arrive at Tientsin on February 24, en route to Chengchow, where he will call a joint military conference of Shansi-Honan generals. Generals Han Fu-kui and Shih Yu-san are prepared to attend the meeting, according to report.

The 121st and 122nd Brigade of Shansi troops were transferred from Taiyuan to Peking on February 22. Their forces under Generals Li Fu-ying and Feng Peng-tse are moving eastwards.—Canton News Agency.

**VEHICULAR FERRY PROJECT****OFFICIAL STATEMENT BY GOVERNMENT****PIERS AND BOATS**

The China Mail has received the following communication from the Colonial Secretary:

The question of providing a vehicular ferry between the Island and the mainland has recently received the further consideration of Government and it has been decided that, while it is desirable that such a service should be instituted with a minimum of delay, it would be in the best interests of the Colony that the responsibility for the construction and maintenance of the piers should be retained by the Government, and that the questions of the building of the necessary boats out of Government funds and of the most satisfactory method of running them if so built, should be further explored. The methods of financing the construction of the piers and boats out of public funds are engaging the immediate attention of the Government.

**THE RENDITION OF WEI HAI WEI****BRITISH NAVY "PERMITTED" TO VISIT THE PORT?****HENDERSON'S PROMISE**

London, Yesterday. In the House of Commons at question time, Mr. Arthur Henderson said that the text of the proposed agreement in regard to Wei Hai Wei was not yet definitely settled, but he hoped that it would be possible to submit it to the House of Commons shortly.

A Conservative member suggested that there should be a clause in the agreement permitting His Majesty's ships to visit Wei Hai Wei. Mr. Henderson promised to bear it in mind.—Reuter.

**RED TROOPS BESIEGE LINING CITY****DEFENCE FORCES WIRE FOR REINFORCEMENTS****RAILWAY SUSPENDED**

Hankow, Yesterday. Being besieged by over 1,000 forces of the Communist army, the defence troops in Lining city, 10 miles west of the Hunan-Kiangsi border, have wired to Chairman Ho Chien, asking for urgent reinforcements. The Pinghsing-Chingchow Railway service was suspended on February 19.—Canton News Agency.

**PRIMA DONNA AT THE THEATRE ROYAL****Mlle. ODETTE DARTHYS RECEIVES POOR AUDIENCE****A POWERFUL VOICE**

Nothing cramps a critic's style so much as the task of describing the performance of a celebrated artist. He is expected to use the adjectives "triumph," "magnificent" or "unforgettable," and to declare that so good a performance has never been heard before. How dare he, then, in the face of the great public enthusiasm which crowns the favoured few with laurels, raise the barest whisper of criticism?

This difficulty is to be met in describing the appearance of Mlle. Odette Darthys, the prima donna of the Opera Comique, Paris, at the Theatre Royal last night. To begin with, her audience was exceedingly poor, the atmosphere of the "house" was discouraging, and it was obvious that Mlle. Darthys, who is an operatic singer used to the accompaniment of a large orchestra, is not at her best in ballads. In that Theatre last night, accompanied by the piano, her performance may have left some of us cold. Her voice is technically perfect—that, it is impossible not to realise—but it lacked the warmth and emotional feeling which she most probably displays in characteristic roles at the Opera Comique.

**A Gifted Actress**

The song in which she expressed her full powers was the tragic piece from Gluck's "Iphigenie en Tauride."

Her gestures and expressions with which she decorated her songs, although full of the exuberance of the French temperament, marked her as an extremely gifted actress. Her interpretation of Madame Butterfly's song, which can never die of repetition, so lovely is it, was pleasing, but one felt instinctively that something was missing. Where was the glamour and the full-throated passion of that song of pathos?

Mlle. Darthys' gifts, however, comprise a remarkable range of variety, and in her comic songs she appeared to be most in her element.

**"Flower of the Rose"**

To please her audience, she sang "Fleur de Rose" in English. In the opinion of some, this was a mistake, and we were very glad that she should have so considered our feelings as to omit "Ramona," which was included in the programme.

Nevertheless, to hear Mlle. Darthys was a pleasure all too rare in this Colony, and made one regret only the more one's inability to hear her in the setting to which she is used.

**ROUND THE CINEMAS****Hit by "Masquerade" Author****SILENT FILM BEFORE**

Twenty-four popular novels in 28 years is the record of Louis Joseph Vance, author of "The Brass Bowl," from which "Masquerade," the latest Fox Movietone all talking picture, was made. After graduating from college Vance began writing in 1901, at 21. For four years he wrote for magazines and newspapers. He produced his first novel, "Terence O'Rourke, Gentleman Adventurer," in 1905. The next year "The Private War" came from his pen, and in 1907 he wrote "The Brass Bowl," the most popular of his works. Among his other books are the "Lone Wolf" series, "Beau Revel," "Linda Lee, Inc.," "The Fortune Hunter," and "Joan Thursday."

Vance abandoned writing for several years to travel and collect new material. His home is in New York, but he has also lived in London, where his books are almost as popular as in America. Many of Vance's novels have been made into movies. Fox Films produced "The Brass Bowl" several years ago as a silent picture with Edmund Lowe in the leading role.

In "Masquerade," Alan Birmingham, a brilliant young actor who had not been born when Vance started his writing career, plays the dual role of Dan Maitland, young New York millionaire bachelor, and Dan Anstey, notorious society bandit. Lella Hyams is co-starred with Birmingham. (Farrell Macdonald, celebrated actor, enacts the part of Detective Hickey and Clyde Cook, prominent on the stage and screen for years as a comedian, is seen and heard as Blodgett, Maitland's valet.)

Russell Birdwell directed "Masquerade." Lumsden Hare, former leading man for Ethel Barrymore, Jane Cowl, Margaret Anglin and other famous woman stars, directed the dialogue. The picture will have its final showing at the Queen's Theatre to-day.

**MINE EXPLOSION**

London, Yesterday. Three persons were killed and seven injured by an explosion in the Wath Main Colliery, Yorkshire, yesterday.

**K.O.S.B. BANDMASTER LEAVES THE COLONY****MR. FITZ-EARLE TO SAIL WITH REGIMENT TO-NIGHT****LOSS TO HONG KONG**

One of the best musical conductors we have had in the Colony, Mr. W. H. Fitz-Earle, who is leaving Hong Kong at 7.30 to-night by the s.s. City of Marseilles with his Regiment for Poona, India, is more than the Bandmaster of the K.O.S.B. It is no exaggeration to say that he has done more than any individual to improve the standard of musical taste in the Colony, and his departure will be a great loss to the many orchestras and Societies that he has assisted.

Apart from his skill as a conductor, in which capacity he has always shown tact, patience, and leadership, Mr. Fitz-Earle has composed several pieces of music, his best-known composition being the Regimental March, "The Leather Bottle."

**The Philharmonic**

As Musical Director for the Philharmonic Society for the past three years, he has won the regard of both the members of his orchestra and the performers in the various productions, whilst it must not be forgotten that the difficult task of arranging the music for the Grand Tattoo fell to his lot. Mr. Fitz-Earle also arranged the music for the Ministering Children's League fete, and formed and trained the band of the Hong Kong Volunteers to their present high standard.

**Weekly Band Concerts**

Many will have reason to remember him with gratitude for the band concerts at the Botanical Gardens, at Volunteer Headquarters, and in Kowloon, which he has conducted during his stay in the Colony, and the weekly band concerts which he arranged every Summer alternately at Mount Austin Barracks and at Murray Barracks. The "Shaforce" also owed much to Mr. Fitz-Earle for the helpful manner in which he assisted with their concerts during their stay in the Colony.

The good wishes of Hong Kong will go with him on his departure, mingled with not a little envy for the enjoyable times which lovers of good music in Poona have in store for them.

**TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS****Two Persons Injured in Kowloon**

Mr. Frank D. Angus, of 80B, Nathan Road, has reported to the Police that, while he was driving his car in Nathan Road, near Austin Road, a Chinese boy, Ho Chi-kwan, aged nine, ran into it, being caught in the rear of the car, and injuring his left leg. He was at once removed to the Kowloon Hospital, but he was not detained.

**Woman Injured**

The Chinese driver of a public vehicle, stated in a report to the police that he was driving his car in Lai-chi-kok road, when a Chinese woman ran across the street. He put on his brakes and swerved to the middle of the road. Unfortunately the woman was knocked down, and sustained injuries to her foot. She was taken to the Kwang Wah Hospital.

**TWO JAPANESE****Summons for Assault and Obstruction**

A summons for assault and obstruction whilst in the lawful discharge of his duties, Man Yin, a conductor in the Kai Tak Bus Co., was mentioned before Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistrate's court this morning, when T. D. Kamato and S. Yamauchi, both of the Chuwa Yoko Co., Des Vaux Road, appeared as defendants. The case was remanded to Thursday, when an official Japanese interpreter will be present.

A witness in the Southampton murder charge agreed when counsel put it to him that it was "extremely regrettable" he should have proceeded to have identified Podmore at the inquest.

**Ten Years Ago**

[From the "China Mail," February 25, 1920.]

To-day's dollar is worth 5/- 7/4d.

An old resident told us a Fraser Smith story yesterday. Fraser Smith was Hong Kong's famous journalist. It seems he had a post at the Kowloon Dock, before he became a newspaperman, and that he had racing ponies. One meeting his stable was very successful, and the story goes that the "talan" of a very big firm was peeved at the idea that a "dock" clerk should beat him. The yarn says that Fraser Smith was told: "He must either give up his ponies or give up his job." He let the job go, and Hong Kong benefited by the advent of an interesting and fearless critic.



## DERBY DAY

(Continued from Page 1.)

2.—The Hong Kong Derby.—A Sweepstakes of £30 each, £500 additional for starters, with £400 added. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifflins of this Meeting. First Pony to receive 70 per cent. Second 20 per cent. Third 10 per cent. of the total amount. Weight for inches as per scale. Ponies to be ridden by boys who have won at least 5 official flat races in Hong Kong or 12500, or Jockeys approved by the Stewards. One Mile and a Half.

1. Dunbar's Diana Bay 161 lbs. (Mr. Hill) 1  
Chau Tin-sion's Wisdom Stag 161 lbs. (Mr. Quincey) 2  
Hynes & Mackie's Peppermint 161 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 3  
Dyer's Four Clubs 158 lbs. (Mr. Bulteel) 4  
Arch Atch's Chivalrous 155 lbs. (Mr. Bowling) 0  
Dynasty's King's Beauty 161 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 0  
Hynes & Mackie's Piccalilli 158 lbs. (Mr. Y. S. Chang) 0  
Chau Tin-sion's Winsor Stag 161 lbs. (Mr. Knoll) 0  
3 lengths, 2 1/2 lengths.  
Time 2:07 1/4 (A Record).  
Pari-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$6.50.  
Places: 1st \$4.00; 2nd \$5.90; 3rd \$5.90.

Race Described  
Wisdom Stag made the pace early, and Diana Bay, after a mediocre start, moved in the bunch. Chivalrous was early in the rear, and King's Beauty was content to be second in a comparatively slow first quarter. Winsor Stag was leading in the straight the first time, followed by Peppermint, Wisdom Stag and Piccalilli, with Diana Bay next and moving very well.

After once round, Mr. Hill sent Diana Bay rapidly up and coming up the incline was second. At the Black Rock, Diana Bay had passed Wisdom Stag, but Wisdom Stag also came with a rush and hung on at the last bend, with the others nowhere. Diana Bay led by a length into the straight, hard held, with Wisdom Stag making no impression. Peppermint came up to the straight and was a good third. Four Clubs was a poor fourth. King's Beauty and Piccalilli being in company next, behind. Then came Winsor Stag, and Chivalrous was last.

4.—The Subscription Grifflins' Challenge Cup.—Value \$1000. For Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. To be won two years consecutively by a Pony or Ponies the bona fide property of the same owner or owners. Winner to receive \$300 and 70 per cent. Second \$200 and 20 per cent. Third \$150 and 10 per cent. of the Entrance Fees until the Cup is finally won when the Second Pony will receive 75 per cent. and the Third Pony 25 per cent. of the Entrance Fees in addition to the place money. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

Sturt & Lobel's Tango 155 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 1  
Mrs Pearce's Tonbridge 155 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 2  
John Peel's Done Again 152 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 3  
Ho Kom-tong's Bridge Hall 158 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) 4  
Mickels's Blotto 158 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 0  
Splits's Gay Toreador 152 lbs. (Mr. Collico) 0  
Cocktail's Martini Cocktail 155 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 0  
Topside's Mountain Oak 158 lbs. (Mr. Leighton) 0  
Chan Wai-yun's Shanghai Beau 155 lbs. (Mr. T. L. Wong) 0  
Bellamy & Gordon's Snaefell 153 lbs. (Mr. Arnold) 0  
Glehn's What's Yours 158 lbs. (Mr. Y. S. Chang) 0  
4 lengths; 2 1/2 lengths.  
Time: 2:09 2/5.  
Pari-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$16.70.  
Places: 1st 7.20; 2nd \$12.20; 3rd \$10.00.

5.—The Great Southern Stakes.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at this Meeting 5 lb. or two or more races 7 lb. extra. Grifflins of this Meeting allowed 15 lb. (Jockey allowance). Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.  
John Peel's Adam 155 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 1  
Lau & Lee's Duke of Chantilly 163 lbs. (Mr. Y. S. Chang) 2  
Eve's Roaring Eve 158 lbs. (Mr. Bowling) 3  
Dynasty's King's Courier 158 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 4  
Hynes & Mackie's Orange William 161 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 0  
2 1/2 lengths; 1 length.  
Time: 2:12 1/2 (Equal Record).  
Pari-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$16.70.  
Places: 1st \$5.40; 2nd \$6.50; 3rd \$4.20.

6.—The Lusitano Cup.—Presented by the Members of the Club Lusitano. For China Ponies bona fide Grifflins of this Meeting, with \$600 added. Second \$300. Third \$200. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting allowed 5 lb. All winners 5 lb. extra. Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Dynasty's King's Colour 161 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 1  
Heard's Christmas Frolic 153 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 2  
Mrs. N. Hashim's Silver Queen 161 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 3  
Ho Kom-tong's Marquis Hall 163 lbs. (Mr. T. L. Wong) 4  
Harbot's Gay Caballero 161 lbs. (Mr. Collico) 0  
John Peel's Grey Dawn 158 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 0  
Dr. J. C. Macgown's Orlando 153 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 0  
Hynes & Mackie's Peppercorn 158 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 0  
Ho Kom-tong's Victory Stag 161 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) 0  
Chan Tin-sion's Willy Stag 153 lbs. (Mr. Y. S. Chang) 0  
1 1/2 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:05 3/5.  
Pari-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$19.40.  
Places: 1st \$7.10; 2nd \$19.30; 3rd \$54.70.



Young Striding, the state pride and joy of ring lovers, greeting Jack Dempsey, ex-heavyweight champion and even to-day most popular boxer in the world.

7.—The Challenge Cup.—Value One Hundred Guineas. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. To be won two years consecutively by a Pony or Ponies the bona fide property of the same owner or owners. Winner to receive \$150 and 70 per cent. Second \$100 and 20 per cent. Third \$50 and 10 per cent. of the Entrance Fees until the Cup is finally won when the Second Pony will receive 75 per cent. and the Third Pony 25 per cent. of the Entrance Fees in addition to the place money. Entrance \$10. One Mile and Three Quarters.

M. a. Dunbar's Sitting Bull 158 lbs. (Mr. Hill) 1  
Yam Man's Carnival Eve 161 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 2  
C. M. Leila's Ma Kau Sinc 161 lbs. (Mr. T. L. Wong) 3  
W. T. Stanton's November 158 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 4  
Eve's Grand Tattoo Eve 158 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 0  
4 lengths; 3 lengths.  
Time: 3:42 1/5 (A Record).  
Pari-mutuel:—  
Winner: \$6.10.  
Places: 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$5.70.

8.—The Royal Navy Cup.—Presented by the Officers of H.M.'s Navy, with \$600 added to the Winner. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Subscription Grifflins of any Reason. Weight for inches as per scale. Winner of the Garrison Cup at this Meeting barred. Other winners at this Meeting 5 lb. extra. Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting allowed 5 lb. (Jockey allowance). Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

John Peel's Nookhall 157 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 1  
Wayfoong's The Jamaica 156 lbs. (Mr. Leighton) 2  
Mogcar's Catalan 158 lbs. (Mr. Knoll) 3  
Lau & Lee's Duke of Urga 152 lbs. (Mr. Y. S. Chang) 4  
John's Duncie 155 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 0  
Padlock's First Key 155 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 0  
Harbot's Gay Pleador 155 lbs. (Mr. Collico) 0  
Chow & Chan's Happy Day 148 lbs. (Mr. Boteloh) 0  
Chan Wai Yan's Hong Kong Beau 150 lbs. (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 0  
Luckman's Iron Blood 147 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 0  
Hynes & Mackie's Pineapple 155 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 0  
Hynes & Mackie's Plantain 150 lbs. (Mr. Tingle) 0  
W. T. Stanton's Sixty 153 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 0  
Bellamy & Gordon's Sunny Bay 155 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) 0  
J. F. Macgregor's Strathroy 150 lbs. (Mr. Arnold) 0  
Eve's Sunrise 154 lbs. (Mr. Bowling) 0  
E. L. Host's Teuchit 152 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) 0

9.—The "Black Box" Stakes.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies bona fide Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting allowed 10 lb. Winners of one Race 5 lb. of two Races 7 lb. extra. of more than two Races 10 lb. extra. Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

Mrs. K. E. Baith's The Goods 161 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 1  
Tester & Abraham's The Tiger 161 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) 2  
Eve's African Eve 161 lbs. (Mr. Bowling) 3  
Ho Kom-tong's Empress Hall 158 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) 0  
Hynes & Mackie's Pippin 161 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 0  
Short head; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:38 1/5.  
Winner \$12.00.  
Places: 1st \$6.70; 2nd \$10.90.

10.—The Gymkhana Stakes.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For all China Ponies that have started in Races in at least two Extra Meetings during the Season 1929, and Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting. Old Ponies: Weight for Winner during extra Meetings of 1929 of one race 140 lb. of two races 154 lb. of three or more races 163 lb. Non-winners allowed 5 lb. Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting: Weight for winner of one race 144 lb. of two or more races 149 lb. Non-winners allowed 4 lb. (Jockey allowance). Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Hynes & Mackie's Pickle 149 lbs. (Mr. Noott) 1  
Eve's Boxing Eve 163 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 2  
Eve's Misty Eve 143 lbs. (Mr. Bowling) 3  
Hau Un's Monterey Bay 154 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 4

Mickels's Tights 155 lbs. (Mr. Leighton) 0  
Mrs. W. T. Southern's Tombola 156 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 0  
3 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:09.  
Winner \$55.20.  
Places: 1st \$17.10; 2nd \$13.10; 3rd \$10.90.

## SWEEPS ON DERBY

"Lucky Numbers" At The Clubs

## SOUTH CHINA A.A.

The drawing of the South China A.A. sweep on the Derby was drawn this morning as follows:—

1st Prize: \$137,636 each.  
Ticket No. Nom de Plume.  
07184 ..... Batsale.  
18684 ..... Alan Lake, Kuala Lumpur.  
2nd Prize: \$39,324 each.  
Ticket No. Nom de Plume.  
04163 ..... Company of Six, No. 105, 3rd floor, Battery Street.  
49910 ..... Fung Wai-kum, No. 8, Race Terrace, Happy Valley.  
3rd Prize: \$19,662 each.  
Ticket No. Nom de Plume.  
35685 ..... Lam Kwan-chuen, Kung Wo Boarding House.

36465 ..... Unplaced \$2,621 each.  
Non-starters: \$264 each.  
(No. 36465, reported to be Mr. Harry Smith of Naval Yard).

Ponies Ticket No.  
1—Abel ..... 06176  
2—African Eve ..... 17464  
3—Blue Boy ..... 02919  
4—Blue Heaven ..... 25560  
5—Chivalrous ..... 42353  
6—Chivalrous ..... 14987  
7—Christmas Belle ..... 18623  
8—Christmas Belle ..... 00441  
9—Christmas Belle ..... 41477  
10—Christmas Belle ..... 33187  
11—Christmas Belle ..... 13377  
12—Christmas Belle ..... 15185  
13—Christmas Belle ..... 09984  
14—Christmas Belle ..... 10820  
15—Christmas Games ..... 36794  
16—Christmas Games ..... 00337  
17—Christmas Games ..... 31146  
18—Christmas Games ..... 40992  
19—Christmas Games ..... 20062  
20—Christmas Games ..... 49440  
21—Christmas Games ..... 07134  
22—Christmas Games ..... 18684  
23—Christmas Games ..... 06366  
24—Christmas Games ..... 29283  
25—Christmas Games ..... 23287  
26—Christmas Games ..... 25149  
27—Christmas Games ..... 42328  
28—Christmas Games ..... 08094  
29—Christmas Games ..... 40488  
30—Christmas Games ..... 22956  
31—Christmas Games ..... 21071  
32—Christmas Games ..... 10001  
33—Christmas Games ..... 14134  
34—Christmas Games ..... 18377  
35—Christmas Games ..... 43192  
36—Christmas Games ..... 30250  
37—Christmas Games ..... 01827  
38—Christmas Games ..... 08812  
39—Christmas Games ..... 21398  
40—Christmas Games ..... 06611  
41—Christmas Games ..... 45239  
42—Christmas Games ..... 10708  
43—Christmas Games ..... 49198  
44—Christmas Games ..... 02296  
45—Christmas Games ..... 46503  
46—Christmas Games ..... 11879  
47—Christmas Games ..... 14400  
48—Christmas Games ..... 19255  
49—Christmas Games ..... 15078  
50—Christmas Games ..... 08207  
51—Christmas Games ..... 04183  
52—Christmas Games ..... 16445  
53—Christmas Games ..... 10897  
54—Christmas Games ..... 27011  
55—Christmas Games ..... 35086  
56—Christmas Games ..... 38465  
57—Christmas Games ..... 38152  
58—Christmas Games ..... 20434  
59—Christmas Games ..... 49568  
60—Christmas Games ..... 40810  
61—Christmas Games ..... 07846  
62—Christmas Games ..... 25009  
63—Christmas Games ..... 15973  
64—Christmas Games ..... 42250  
65—Christmas Games ..... 44895  
66—Christmas Games ..... 13279  
67—Christmas Games ..... 08639  
68—Christmas Games ..... 19085  
69—Christmas Games ..... 41168  
70—Christmas Games ..... 08148  
71—Christmas Games ..... 15584  
72—Christmas Games ..... 12413  
73—Christmas Games ..... 50796  
74—Christmas Games ..... 31767  
75—Christmas Games ..... 28774  
76—Christmas Games ..... 19493  
77—Christmas Games ..... 41860  
78—Christmas Games ..... 48403  
79—Christmas Games ..... 04163  
80—Christmas Games ..... 49910  
81—Christmas Games ..... 19172  
82—Christmas Games ..... 16161

11.—The Peking Plate.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners 7 lb. penalty. (Jockey allowance). Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Dyer & Baith's Loch Elvie 147 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 1  
Yam Man's Our Prince 151 lbs. (Mr. T. L. Wong) 2  
Bennett & Cave's San Francisco 144 lbs. (Mr. H. Leo) 3  
N. Hashim's Sunning 149 lbs. (Mr. Backhouse) 4  
Dynasty's Young Pretender 163 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 0  
3 lengths; 3 lengths.  
Time: 2:04.  
Winner \$42.00.  
Places: 1st \$12.90; 2nd \$11.80; 3rd \$29.90.

12.—Discord ..... 29283  
13.—Duke of Longchamp ..... 25149  
14.—Empress Hall ..... 42328  
15.—Four Clubs ..... 22956  
16.—Gay Caballero ..... 21071  
17.—Gold Dragon ..... 14134  
18.—Grand Duke ..... 43192  
19.—Grand Duke ..... 30250  
20.—Grey Dawn ..... 01827  
21.—Grey Dawn ..... 08812  
22.—King at Arms ..... 21398  
23.—King at Arms ..... 06611  
24.—King's Bounty ..... 45239  
25.—King's Colour ..... 10708  
26.—King's Colour ..... 49198  
27.—Little Beaver ..... 02296  
28.—Little Beaver ..... 46503  
29.—Lobster Bay ..... 11879  
30.—Lobster Bay ..... 14400  
31.—Marquis Hall ..... 19255  
32.—Marquis Hall ..... 15078  
33.—Marquis Hall ..... 08207  
34.—Orlando ..... 04183  
35.—Orlando ..... 16445  
36.—Peppercorn ..... 10897  
37.—Peppercorn ..... 27011  
38.—Peppercorn ..... 35086  
39.—Pippin ..... 38465  
40.—Pippin ..... 38152  
41.—Pippin ..... 20434  
42.—Pippin ..... 49568  
43.—Pippin ..... 40810  
44.—Royal Hall ..... 07846  
45.—Royal Hall ..... 25009  
46.—Silver Queen ..... 15973  
47.—Silver Queen ..... 42250  
48.—The Albatross ..... 44895  
49.—The Albatross ..... 13279  
50.—The Goods ..... 08639  
51.—The Goods ..... 19085  
52.—The Partridge ..... 41168  
53.—The Partridge ..... 08148  
54.—The Tiger ..... 15584  
55.—The Tiger ..... 12413  
56.—Three Clubs ..... 50796  
57.—Three Clubs ..... 31767  
58.—Victory Hall ..... 28774  
59.—Victory Hall ..... 19493  
60.—Windsor Stag ..... 41860  
61.—Windsor Stag ..... 48403  
62.—Wisdom Stag ..... 04163  
63.—Witty Stag ..... 49910  
64.—Witty Stag ..... 19172  
65.—Witty Stag ..... 16161

(Continued on Page 9.)

## SHADOWS BEFORE

## COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN CHINA MAIL

Social Functions  
To-day—Tea Dance at Hong Kong Hotel, 4.30 p.m.  
To-day—Tea Dance at Peninsula Hotel, 5 p.m.  
To-day—Dinner Dances at Hong Kong Hotel and Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 p.m.  
To-day—Dinner Dance at Repulse Bay Hotel, 8.30 p.m.  
March 7—S.P.C.A. Ball, Peninsula Hotel, 8 p.m.  
March 8—Old Bedfordian Dinner, Hong Kong Club 8 p.m.  
Entertainment:  
To-day—Queen's Theatre, "Masquerade."  
To-day—Star Theatre, "The Song and Dance Man."  
To-day—World Theatre, "For Wives Only."  
To-day—Majestic Theatre, "The Passionate Quest."  
February 28—English Singers' concert at City Hall, 9.15 p.m.  
Sports  
See Special Sports Diary on page 13.

Lammeris' Auction  
To-morrow—At 17, Jordan Road (Top Floor), Kowloon, household furniture, 10.30 a.m.  
To-morrow—At 88, Nathan Road (Top Floor), Kowloon, household furniture, 11.30 a.m.  
February 27—At 10, Peak Mansion, valuable household furniture, 11 a.m.  
February 27—At 3, Alburgh Hall, May Road, household furniture, 2.30 p.m.

Meetings  
February 28—Kowloon Residents Association St. Andrew's Church Hall, 6 p.m.  
March 3—Benevolent Society, annual meeting, Cheer O Canteen, 11.15 a.m.  
March 10—Union Waterboat Co., meeting of shareholders, Dodwell & Co.'s office, 11 a.m.  
March 12—Hong Kong Electric Co., shareholders' meeting, 11 a.m.  
March 13—Forty-third annual meeting of H. K. & W. Whf. & Godown Co., Ltd., Messrs Jardine Matheson's offices, noon.  
March 18—Annual meeting of Hong Kong Tramways Ltd., Messrs. Jardine Matheson's offices, noon.  
March 19—Green Island Cement Co., shareholders' meeting, noon.

Miscellaneous  
February 27—Lecture, "Some Remarkable Inventions," by Professor C. A. Middleton Smith, Room "K", University.  
March 5—Distribution of prizes by H.E. the Officer Administering the Government at King's College.  
March 6—Annual Show of Flowers and Vegetables, City Hall.  
March 11—Volunteers' full dress practice parade, Murray Parade Ground, 5.30 p.m.  
March 13—Volunteers' annual inspection, Murray parade ground, 5.25 p.m.

## POSTING BILLS

Trivial "Offence" by Theatre Employee

A charge of posting up a theatre bill at Nga Chi Wai Road without the chop of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs was brought against Tsang Ngan (18), bill posting coolie of the Majestic Theatre at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning before Mr. Whyte-Smith.

The defendant pleaded guilty and said that he was a newcomer to the business.  
Sergeant Macnamara stated that the offence was considered a technical one, and that it was only due to the instructions regarding seditious matter being posted up that the Chinese constable arrested the man.  
The Magistrate warned defendant that he had to obtain the chop of the S.C.A., before he could stick up bills. A caution was administered.

## STANDARD TIMES

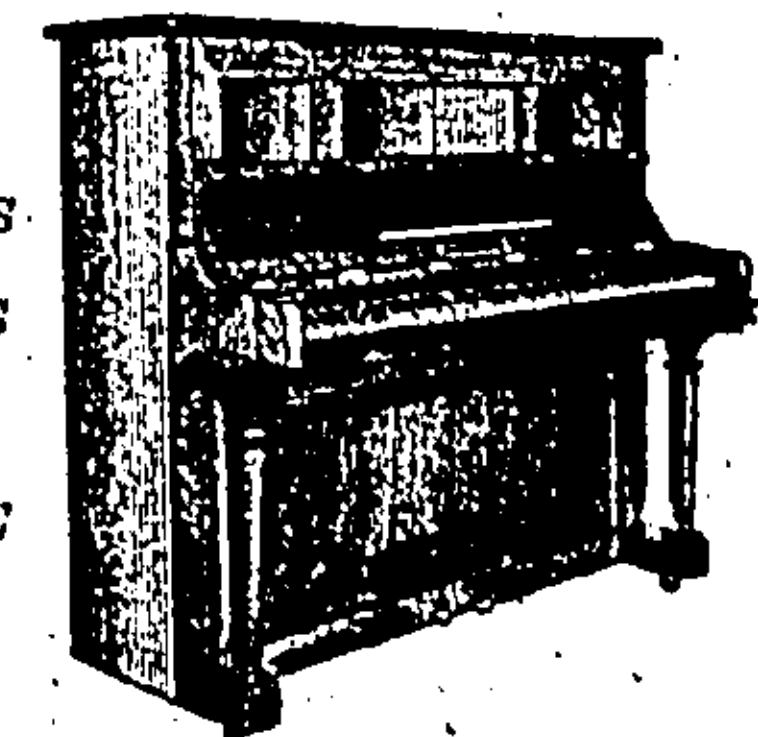
Sunrise And Sunset In Colony

Sunrise and Sunset in Hong Kong for February (Standard time of the 120th Meridian, East of Greenwich), are as follows:—

February	Sunrise	Sunset
25	6.49	6.25
26	6.48	6.25
27	6.47	6.26
28	6.46	6.26

(Continued on Page 9.)

## PIANOS FOR SALE OR HIRE



TO POSSESS  
A PIANO IS  
EVIDENCE  
OF CULTURE

TO LOVE MUSIC  
IS A  
COMMENDABLE  
THING

PIANOS TUNED AND REPAIRED.

Anderson Music Co., Ltd.

SEE THAT YOU GET

BOORD'S GINS

"CAT ON BARREL BRAND."

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO., LTD.  
(Incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances of Hong Kong.)  
Prince's Building, Ice House Street Tel. C.74.

## G. FALCONER &amp; CO (HONG KONG) LTD.

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELLERS  
DIAMOND MERCHANTS  
Union Building (Opposite G.P.O.)

Agents for:—ADMIRALTY CHARTS,  
ROSS'S BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES,  
KELVIN'S NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,  
ENGLISH SILVERWARE, direct from Manufacturers.  
High Class English Jewellery.

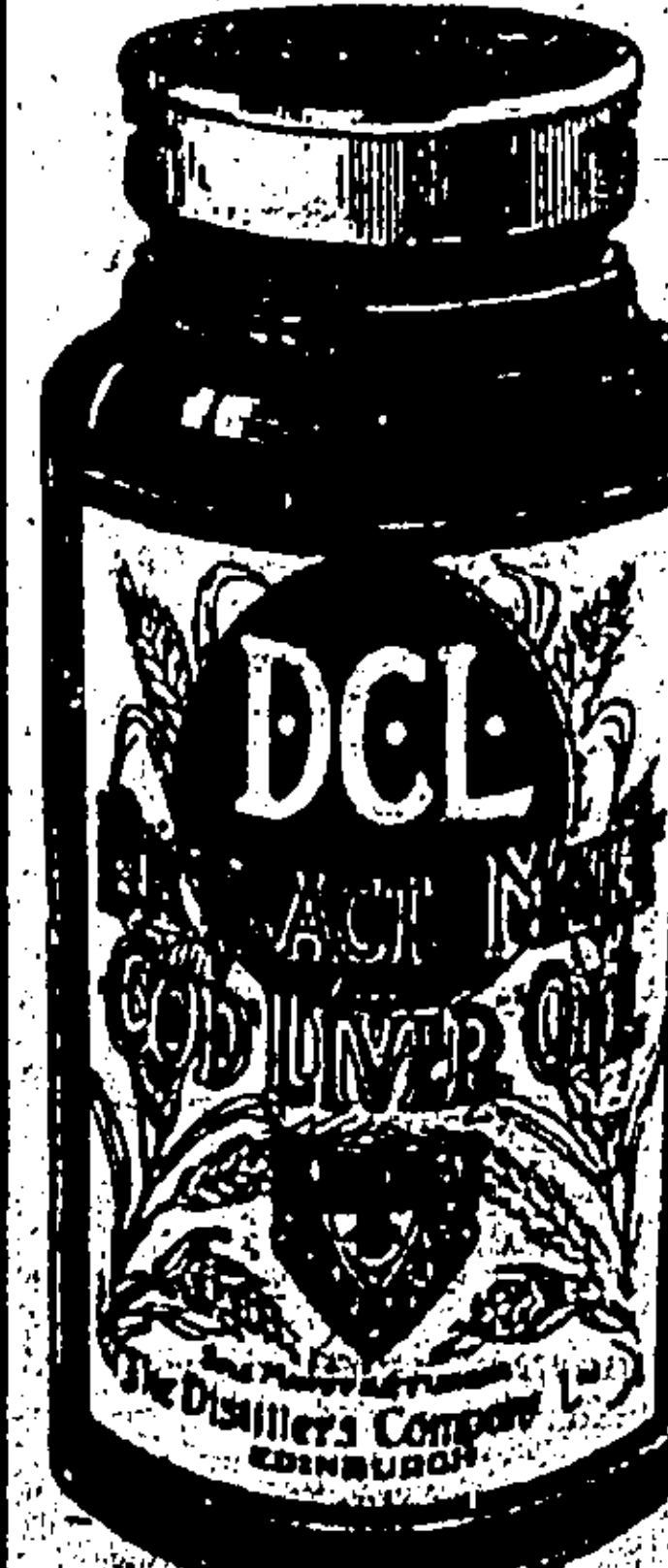
JUST ARRIVED

PIPES  
of  
LATEST STYLES  
in all  
LEADING MAKES



Best Make  
DUNHILL'S  
ROTHMAN'S  
LOEWE'S

You are invited to call at our store.  
TABAQUERIA FILIPINA  
Queen's Road C. Asiatic Bldg.



"D. C. L."

MALT EXTRACT  
WITH  
COD LIVER OIL

Is made from the finest selected Barley and malted with the greatest care on the Company's own premises by the most scientific methods of manufacture.

THE DISTILLERS  
COMPANY, LTD.  
EDINBURGH.

Price:—Per 1 lb. Jar—\$1.10

Per 2 lb. Jar—\$2.20

SOLE AGENTS:

GANDE, PRICE &amp; CO., LTD.

St. George's Building, 111, Des Voeux Street.  
Tel. C-114 HONG KONG.





# NOW TRY THIS DELICIOUS NEW CHEESE

No crust. No waste. Always an invitation to eat. This delicious cheese comes to you with the same delicate goodness so much enjoyed by travellers in Switzerland.

## GERBER'S GRUYERE CHEESE



### You'll Find Your Favorite Dance Numbers on These Victor Records

Name your favorite dance orchestra. Name the newest, snappiest tune you can think of. Then see if you don't find both on this list of Victor Dance Records. The chances are nine out of ten that you will. Because nearly all the best orchestras in the country are Victor orchestras. And there's seldom a good, hot, catchy tune that slips unnoticed by the Victor Recording Laboratories. Just read this list through... more than three dozen of the smoothest dance numbers in current circulation! Look over the catalog of orchestras... is there a better lineup of star performers anywhere? Get next to these new dance records! Come around to our store and ask us to play them for you on the Radio Electrola. We'll be glad to serve you.

- Sally—Fox Trot  
I'm Dreaming—Waltz (Don't Wake Me Too Soon)  
WAYNE KING AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22210, 10-inch
- The Man from the South—Fox Trot  
TED WEEMS AND  
HARMONICA HARRY—Fox Trot  
HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22234, 10-inch
- My Love Parade—Fox Trot  
Nobodys Using It Now—Fox Trot  
THE HIGH HATTERS  
No. 22232, 10-inch
- My Fate Is in Your Hands—Fox Trot  
NAT SHILKREY AND THE VICTOR ORCHESTRA  
Melancholy—Fox Trot  
HONORABLE AND HIS CALIFORNIANS  
No. 22222, 10-inch
- Lucky Me—Love You—Fox Trot  
LEO REISMAN  
Happy Days Are Here Again—Fox Trot and HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22213, 10-inch
- I'm Following You—Fox Trot  
Hoosier Hop—Fox Trot  
THE HIGH HATTERS  
No. 22218, 10-inch
- What Do I Care—Fox Trot (from Harry Carroll's Revue)  
South Sea Rose—Fox Trot  
GEORGE OLSEN AND HIS MUSIC  
No. 22215, 10-inch
- Sitting By the Window—Fox Trot  
A Night of Happiness—Fox Trot  
JACKIE TAYLOR'S ORCHESTRA  
No. 22217, 10-inch
- Lady Luck—Fox Trot  
JOHN HAMP'S KENTUCKY SERENADES  
Singin' in the Bath—Fox Trot  
THE HIGH HATTERS  
No. 22219, 10-inch
- Charming—Fox Trot  
Shepherd's Serenade—Waltz  
LEO REISMAN  
AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22213, 10-inch
- All That I'm Asking Is Sympathy—Waltz  
TED WEEMS AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
To Be Forgotten—Waltz  
WAYNE KING AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22234, 10-inch
- Dream Lover—Waltz  
Lonesome Little Doll—Fox Trot  
THE VICTOR ORCHESTRA  
No. 22241, 10-inch
- You Do Something to Me—Fox Trot  
You've Got That Thing—Fox Trot  
LEO REISMAN  
AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22244, 10-inch
- I'll See You Again—Waltz  
I Love Were All—Fox Trot  
LEO REISMAN AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
No. 22246, 10-inch
- Look for the Silver Lining—Fox Trot  
Wild Rose—Fox Trot  
THE HIGH HATTERS  
No. 22230, 10-inch
- Romance—Waltz  
After a Million Dreams—Fox Trot  
OLSEN AND HIS MUSIC  
No. 22248, 10-inch
- I Love You, Believe Me, I Love You—Fox Trot  
If You Were the Only Girl—Waltz  
RUDY VALLÉE AND  
HIS CONNECTICUT YANKEES  
No. 22251, 10-inch
- Tap Dance Medley  
By Heck—Tap Dance  
VICTOR NOVELTY ORCHESTRA  
No. 22228, 10-inch
- Sweet Nothings of Love—Fox Trot  
GEORGE OLSEN AND HIS MUSIC  
Duke of Ku-Ki-Ah—Fox Trot  
THE HIGH HATTERS  
No. 22251, 10-inch

S. MOUTRIE & CO., LTD.

(Victor Distributors)  
Chatter Road.

## DEVELOPMENT OF THE COLONIES

\$5,600,000 SPENT ON PROJECTS  
BY THE COLONIAL OFFICE

### 50 SCHEMES SUBMITTED

London, Yesterday.  
The present position of the Colonial Development Fund was explained by Dr. Drummond Shiels when the supplementary vote for the Colonial Office was discussed in the House of Commons. He said that the Empire Marketing Board's relations with the fund had been satisfactorily arranged and there was no danger of overlapping. The total cost of the projects recommended by the Fund Committee and approved by the Colonial Office and the Treasury since the inception of the committee last August, totalled £5,600,000.

The expenditure incurred by the fund in this respect was £1,362,000. Over fifty schemes have been submitted by 25 separate Governments since the schemes were initiated.—Reuter.

### NEED FOR PEACE

Endorsed by Military  
Leaders

### FORCE OPPOSED

Peking, Yesterday.  
A report from Talyuanfu says it is believed Yen Hsi-shan sent out a further circular telegram to-day, which is claimed to be endorsed by the military leaders in the south, south-west and north-west, and also Honan and Manchuria.

The telegram emphasises the need for peace all over the country, and declares against unification by force. It urges the convening of a National Assembly.

The Shansi-ites insist that Yen Hsi-shan has no intention of attacking Chiang Kai-shek, and even if hostilities break out he will merely act on the defensive.

Forty wounded soldiers arrived at Tsinanfu on February 21, apparently wounded in the fighting between Kao Kuei-tse and the Government forces. Liu Chen-nien is reported to be co-operating with Kao Kuei-tse against Chen Tiao-yuan, the Governor of Shantung, who is loyal to Nan-king. It is understood that the Shantung Generals mostly desire to maintain neutrality, but intend to defend the frontiers of the province against invasion.—Reuter.

### UNKNOWN LAND

Claims of Sir Hubert  
Wilkins

Montevideo, Yesterday.  
Three hundred miles of new coastline in the Antarctic have been discovered by Sir Hubert Wilkins in the course of six sea-plane flights, with his expedition, which arrived at Montevideo yesterday.

Wilkins actually flew ahead from his ship 125 miles from port. He says they covered much unknown land in the course of 2,500 miles aerial explorations of the South Pole. They leave for New York on February 23. His next venture is likely to be a submarine trip to the North Pole.—Reuter's American Service.

### AFGHAN KING

Late Rulers' Significant  
Visit

Constantinople, Yesterday.  
The ex-King Amanullah of Afghanistan has arrived here en route to Angora, where he is to visit Mustafa Kemal.

This has aroused considerable interest, coinciding with reports that the present King of Afghanistan, Nadir Khan, is ill.

Reports Denied

Bombay, To-day.  
A private telegram from a member of the Nadir Shah's personal staff denies the reports which have gained circulation that the King is ill. It is stated that he is in excellent health.—Reuter.

### COLLECTIVE FARMS

City Men Replace the  
Peasants

Moscow, Yesterday.  
It is stated in authoritative Soviet circles that 25,000 workers, including agricultural specialists, engineers, doctors, journalists, authors, artists, actors and cinema operators have proceeded to different districts to participate in the organisation of collective farms. Up to now 96,700 such farms have been established. It is reported from Moulak that the rich peasants who were banished from the collective farming districts have settled elsewhere.—Reuter.

### AIR TRAFFIC

Infected with Yellow  
Fever?

### STRICT QUARANTINE

Batavia, Yesterday.  
The meeting of the League of Nations Eastern Bureau of Epidemiological Intelligence expressed an opinion that air traffic from countries in Africa infected with yellow fever should be forbidden until the strictest possible quarantine can effectively be applied.

Doctor Van Loukhuyzen was elected president of the advisory council of the Bureau at Singapore in succession to General Graham, and Doctor Guerin, the representative of Indo-China, vice-president.

Thanks to the generosity of the Dutch telegraphic administration, the Malabar wireless station in future will broadcast epidemiological intelligence daily, instead of weekly.—Reuter.

### ITALIAN ART

Exhibition in London  
Extended

### GREAT INTEREST

London, Yesterday.  
In view of the plea for an extension of the time for the exhibition of Italian art, which is still attracting immense crowds, the President of the Royal Academy announces that it will not be closed until March 20.

This has in part been made possible by an undertaking of Signor Modigliani, who is in charge of the art treasures from Italy, to have all the pictures for which he is responsible packed and removed within one week of the closing of the exhibition.—British Wireless Service.

### FATAL AVALANCHE

Death Roll Raised to  
Fifteen

Rome, Yesterday.  
The death roll in the Bolognola avalanche is now fifteen. There are still six persons missing.—Reuter.

[A message dated February 23 stated that nine people had been killed, 18 were missing and five injured as a result of the avalanche, in which also, many cattle were overwhelmed.]

### Latest Report

Rome, To-day.  
The death roll in the Bolognola avalanche disaster is now reported to be 18. Three persons are missing.—Reuter.

### BRITAIN AND EGYPT

Delegation Expected in  
London

London, Yesterday.  
It is officially announced that the Egyptian delegation, headed by the Premier, Nahas Pasha, is arriving in London in the week beginning March 24 to negotiate the British Egyptian agreement. It is learnt that the High Commissioner of Egypt and the Sudan has been requested to be in London during the negotiations.—Reuter.

### EXCHANGES

#### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

On London—	
Bank, wire	1/8 3/4
Bank, on demand	1/8 3/4
Bank, 30 days' sight	
Bank, 4 months' sight	1/8 3/4
Credits, 4 months' sight	1/7 3/4
Documentary, 4 months' sight	1/7 3/4
On Paris—	
On demand	94 1/2
Credits, 4 months' sight	101 7/8
On Berlin—	
On demand	
On New York—	
On demand	36 1/2
Credits, 60 days' sight	38 1/2
On Bombay—	
Wire	101 1/4
On demand	101 1/4
On Calcutta—	
Wire	101 1/4
On demand	101 1/4
On Singapore—	
On demand	65 1/2
On Manila—	
On demand	74
On Shanghai—	
On demand	79
30 days' sight (private paper)	
On Yokohama—	
On demand	74 1/4
Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tal)	
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	125 5/8

### Have You Heard?

Pat: I'm so happy, I've got one home on the Railway Commissioners at last.  
Fellow-Passenger: How's that?  
Pat: I've bought a return ticket and I'm not coming back.

Golfer (who has just tipped his caddy): That's for a drink, Mac, but I hope it will be a teetotal one!  
Mac (with dignity): Mr. Brown, a caddy Ah may be, but Ah'm no a tea-caddy.

It was in a certain part of the trenches in France that an enemy mine was expected to be blown up, and this particular part was occupied only by patrols. It was to one of these that the officer in charge handed a whistle, saying, "We expect a mine to be exploded any minute, and I want you, when you see or feel any signs of it exploding, to blow this whistle."  
"Yes," replied Tommy. "But, beg pardon, sir, shall I blow it when I'm going up, or coming down?"

Advertisement in a morning paper: For Sale.—A good cow that gives 2 gallons of milk at a milking and a lot of household furniture.

Doctor: Well, friend, what seems to be your trouble?  
Patient (nervously): I believe, I have caught insomnia, doctor. I cannot sleep a wink until around 3 o'clock in the morning.

Doctor: Nonsense! Insomnia is not contagious.  
Patient: It is in my case, doctor. The baby next door has it.

Jacky had filled himself with watermelon, and was lying by the side of the road, surrounded by about a half-dozen melons, which he could not eat. A motorist, coming along, saw Jacky and, stopping his car, he asked: "Enough watermelon, Jacky?"  
Jacky (tearfully): "Plenty watermelon, boss, not enough Jacky!"

Professor (delightedly): Now, then, my dear, who's absent-minded? I've brought my umbrella and yours, too.  
His Wife: Neither of us took one out.

A doctor and a clergyman of the same name, lived in the same street. The doctor went away, and during his absence the clergyman died. The doctor sent a telegram to his wife, which was given to the clergyman's widow. It ran as follows:—Arrived safely, heat terrific.

Landlady: "And what's wrong now?"  
Youthful lodger: "I just wanted to say that I think you get too much mileage out of this roller-towel."

A governor one day appeared before the assembled convicts of a prison. Forgetting his audience, he began in the usual manner: "Fellow citizens—"

A murmur of laughter sounded through the room. The governor became confused. "Fellow convicts," he changed. Louder laughter. "Oh, you know what I mean," he stammered. "I mean I'm glad to see so many of you here."

The warder led him out into the air.

### LONDON EXCHANGES

Paris	124.245
New York	4.86 7/8
Brussels	34.895
Geneva	25.195
Amsterdam	12.12 1/2
Milan	92.83
Berlin	20.865
Stockholm	18.12
Copenhagen	18.155
Oslo	18.185
Vienna	84.605
Prague	164 1/2
Helsingfors	193 1/2
Madrid	38.825
Lisbon	108.25
Athens	875
Bucharest	818
Rio	6 9/10
Buenos Aires	42 9/10
Bombay	1/6 27/8
Shanghai	1/11 1/4
Hong Kong	1/6 1/4
Yokohama	2/0 9/8
Silver Spot	19 1/2
Silver Forward	19 1/2

—British Wireless Service.

Pamela

13, Queen's Rd. C.  
next to St. Francis Hotel.

Have a Large Selection of Ladies' Dresses, Ensembles, Hats, Gloves, Sunshades and Afternoon Gowns

## FOR THE RACES

Dressmaking and Millinery.

This will be attended to as a special department at reasonable charge with smartest cut and style guaranteed.

### HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

Opening Daily Official Quotations 25th February, 1930.

STOCK	Buy-ers	Sell-ers	Sales	Num.	Fin. year ended	DIVIDEND	PAID
Banks.							
Hong Kong Bank	...	...	1850	...	Dec.	[Final 24 s/c 1929 Interim 12 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	Feb. 24, 30
Chartered Bank	...	...	101	...	Dec.	[Final 12 s/c 1929 Interim 6 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	Sept. 12, 29
Mercantile Bk., A.B. C. L.	...	...	20	...	Dec.	[Final 24 s/c 1929 Interim 12 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	Oct. — 29
Bank of Asia	102	...	...	...	Dec.	\$4 for 1929	Pending
Insurance.							
Canton Ins.	\$ 745	...	...	...	Dec.	[Final 24 s/c 1929 Interim 12 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	May 23, 29
Union Ins.	\$	380	...	...	Dec.	[Final 12 s/c 1929 Interim 6 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	May 24, 29
China Underwriters	\$	170	...	...	Dec.	None	...
China Fire Ins.	\$ 310	...	...	...	Dec.	[Final 24 s/c 1929 Interim 12 s/c 1929 Free 1/4 s/c 1929]	May 24, 29
H. K. Fire Ins.	\$ 880	...	...	...	Dec.	\$15 for 1929	Mar. 26, 29
Shipping.							
Douglases	\$	25 1/2	...	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1924	...
H. K. Steamboats	\$	...	25 1/2	...	Dec.	\$1.50 for 1929	Pending
Indo-China (Pref.)	\$	...	43	...	Dec.	[1929, ex. 25 s/c, one preferred for 1924 and 1925]	June 19, 29
(Def.)	\$	...	70	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1921	...
Shell Transports	1/-	...	93/0	...	Dec.	[Int. 2/- Coupon No. 25 free 1/17 s/c 1929]	Jan. 6, 30
Union Waterboats	\$ 25 1/2	...	...	...	Dec.	\$1.50 for 1929	Pending
Mining.							
Begguts	\$ 5 1/2	...	...	...	Dec.	Interim 20 centavos s/c 1929	Dec. — 29
Kailan Mining Ad.	1/-	...	50/-	...	June	\$1.50 s/c free 1/17 s/c [Coupon No. 31-30-29]	Dec. 17, 29
Langkat (Comb.)	Tls.	...	18.50	...	Oct.	Last div. for year 31-10-27	...
(Single)	Tls.	...	7 1/2	...	...	...	...
S'hai Exploration	Tls.	...	1.30	...	Dec.	None	...
Loans	Tls.	...	6	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1926	...
Rauha	\$ 14 1/2	...	...	...	Mar.	Interim 1/10 s/c year 31-3-30	Dec. 12, 29
Troms Mines	1/-	...	21/-	...	Dec.	4 1/2 s/c less tax Coupon No. 21	Sep. 30, 29
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.							
H. K. & K. Wharves	...	...	155	...	Dec.	\$2 for 1929	Pending
H. K. & W. Docks	\$ 32	...	...	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1924	...
China Providents	\$ 5.30	...	...	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1924	...
Hongkew	\$ 100	...	...	...	Dec.	Interim 10 s/c 1929	Sep. 12, 29
N. Engineering	Tls. 7.80	...	...	...	Dec.	T. 0.50 for 1929	Pending
Shanghai Docks	Tls.	...	120	...	Apr.	T. 7.50 for year 31-4-29	July 27, 29
Cotton Mills.							
Ewo Cottons	Tls.	10 1/2	...	...	Dec.	Final T. 2 s/c 1929	Pending
S'hai Cotton (old)	Tls. 8 1/2	...	...	...	(Apr. and Oct.)	T. 2.50 old for half year [T. 1.25 new] 31-10-27	Nov. 20, 29
(new)	Tls.	...	92	...	...	...	...
Zoong Sings	Tls.	...	10	...	June	T. 7.40 for year 30-4-29	Oct. 11, 29
Lands, Hotels & Buildings.							
H.K. & S. Hotels	\$ 12 1/2	...	...	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1924	...
H. K. Lands	\$	65	...	...	Dec.	Final 2 s/c 1929	Feb. 12, 30
Shanghai Lands	Tls. 215	...	...	...	Dec.	Interim T. 3 s/c 1929	July 31, 29
Humphreys	\$ 14	...	...	...	Dec.	\$1 for 1928	Feb. 8, 29
H. K. Realities	\$	3.30	...	...	Dec.	Interim 30 cents s/c 1929	Aug. 12, 29
Chinese Estates	\$	98	...	...	Feb.	\$4 for year 28-3-29	June 5, 29
Public Utilities.							
H. K. Tramways	\$ 19.50	19.90	...	...	Dec.	Final 50 cents s/c 1929	Pending
Peak Tram (old)	\$	...	11 1/2	...	Apr.	[41 on old 1/10 s/c year 10 s/c on new] 31-10-29	June 7, 29
(new)	\$	...	6.35	...	...	...	...
Star Ferries	\$	...	68 1/2	...	Dec.	\$1 for 1929	Feb. 14, 30
China Light	\$	19.20	...	...	Sept.	[Final ex. 45 (old) for year cents 10.75 (new)] 30-9-29	Dec. 23, 29
H. K. Electric	\$ 69 1/2	...	...	...	Dec.	\$2.50 for 1929	Pending
Micas	\$ 28	...	...	...	Dec.	...	...
Sankian Lights	\$ 4 1/2	...	...	...	June	None	...
H.K. Telephones	\$ 9.85	...	...	...	Dec.	Interim 10 cents s/c 1929	Sep. 18, 29
China Buses	Tls. 17 1/2	...	...	...	Dec.	T. 0.63 for 1929	Feb. 21, 29
S'por Trac (Ord.)	1/-	10/-	...	...	Dec.	1/- on preference	Feb. 6, 29
(Pref.)	19/6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Industrial.							
Ghina Sugars	\$ 75 c.	...	...	...	...	In Liquidation	...
Malabon Sugars	\$	...	27	...	Dec.	Pa. 3 for 1928	April 11, 29
Cald; Macg. Ord.	Tls.	...	10	...	Dec.	Interpointed in May 1929	...
(Pref.)	Tls.	...	10	...	...	...	...
Canton Ice	\$	...	2 1/2	...	July	None	...
Concots (comb.)	\$ 14 1/2	14.85	...	...	Dec.	[30 cents on old 10 cents on new] for 1929	Pending
(old)	\$	11	...	...	...	...	...
(new)	\$	4 1/2	...	...	...	...	...
H. K. Ropes	\$	7.85	...	...	Dec.	Last dividend for 1924	...
United Albestos	\$ 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stores, &c.							
Dairy Farms	\$	...	22.40	...	Dec.	\$1.50 for 1929	Pending
Watsons	\$	11 1/2	...	...	Oct.	30 cents for year 31-10-29	Mar. 28, 29
Der A Wings	\$ 80 c.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lane Crawford	\$	...	3	...	Feb.	Last dividend for year 28-2-29	...
Mackintosh	\$ 18	...	...	...	Feb.	\$3 for year 28-2-29	April 11, 29
Sinceres	\$	...	19	...	...	...	...
Wm. Powells	\$	...	24	...	Feb.	25 cents for year 28-2-29	June 10, 29
Miscellaneous.							
H.K. Amusement Pref.	\$ 28	...	...	...	Mar.	[\$1.50 on Preferred] for year [\$1.50 on Deferred] 31-4-29	July 5, 29
(Deferred)	\$	...	1.80	...	Dec.	None	...
H. K. Constructions	\$	...	...	...	...	...	...
B. Ind. O.S. Bonds	40%	...	...	...	...	...	...
H. K. Govt. Loans	5 1/2%	...	...	...	...	Interest half yearly	...



# Sport Columns

## CRICKET

### Volunteers Meet "Rest of League"

#### DRAWN MATCH

The Volunteers drew with the Rest of the League yesterday in a fast scoring match played on the H.K.C.C. ground. Scores:—

H. K. Volunteers	Rest of League
E. Richardson, c. Madar, b. Hung	154
C. F. Fisher, run out	14
H. Baker, c. Zimmerman, b. Hung	41
F. Zimmerman, b. A. T. Lee	0
O. Owen Hughes, b. Hung	0
J. E. Mitchell, not out	52
M. Wood, c. Madar, b. Anderson	8
V. Gittins, not out	28
Extras	19

Total (for 6 wks., dec.) 201  
F. Baker, A. Reid, and A. C. Beck did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS

O.	M.	R.	W.
A. T. Lee	12	0	45
R. V. Lee	9	2	17
D. J. Anderson	17	1	45
A. H. Madar	14	1	16
W. C. Hung	12	1	45
E. F. Fisher	3	1	15

#### Rest of League

H. P. Lim, run out	0
D. J. N. Anderson, b. Beck	42
E. F. Fisher, c. Baker	38
A. H. Madar, c. b. Reid	24
E. Zimmerman, b. Baker	21
A. Lee, c. Reid, b. Baker	14
A. E. Mackay, l.b.w., b. Baker	8
A. Y. Lee, c. Reid, b. Baker	3
W. C. Hung, not out	0
R. Lee, not out	0
Extras	6

Total (for 8 wks.) 149  
A. A. Aziz did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS

O.	M.	R.	W.
A. C. Beck	10	4	48
F. Baker	14	2	24
A. Reid	11	0	42
H. Owen Hughes	9	3	30

#### I.R.C. v. RECREIO

Playing at King's Park yesterday, the Club de Recreio defeated the Indian Recreation Club 2nd XI. Scores:—

Indian R.C.	Club de Recreio
S. A. Irmali, b. Souza	1
H. T. Barma, run out	0
M. Fakir, b. Souza	2
M. F. Madar, c. Remedios, b. Alves	3
M. Mohamed, c. Ogley, b. Alves	38
J. S. Akbar, c. Remedios, b. Alves	0
B. R. Irmali, c. Carvalho, b. Alves	0
A. R. Abbas, c. Gutierrez, b. Alves	1
D. M. A. Razack, not out	1
M. U. Razack, b. Alves	1
Extras	4

Total (for 9 wks.) 54  
R. Nazarin absent.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS

O.	M.	R.	W.
H. A. Alves	10.5	2	27
Souza	10	2	23

#### Club de Recreio

H. M. Xavier, c. Irmali, b. Fakir	13
H. A. Alves, run out	44
F. H. Remedios, b. Madar	10
J. H. Figueredo, run out	31
A. A. Remedios, b. Irmali	19
W. Ogley, c. Irmali, b. Barma	5
F. Barma, b. Irmali	8
A. P. Souza, c. b. Irmali	5
C. M. Souza, c. sub., b. Abbas	3
P. H. Carvalho, not out	1
Extras	11

Total (for 9 wks.) 189

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS

O.	M.	R.	W.
Irmali	8	0	29
Fakir	8	1	43
Madar	4	0	23
Razack	4	1	12
Abbas	3	0	12
Akter	1	0	12
Mohamed	2	1	6
Barma	4	0	21

#### HOCKEY

Playing on the Marina ground yesterday afternoon, the Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade R.A. defeated the Hong Kong Hockey Club 2nd XI, by three goals to nil, after a fast game.

The military team were undoubtedly the superior side, and led by two goals after the first half.

Although the Club improved later, the soldiers registered another goal before the final whistle.

## GOLF

### England v. Scotland Canton

#### [From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, Yesterday. In the Triangular Tournament England will meet Scotland on Sunday, March 2. The probable teams will be as follows:—

England	Scotland
J. M. Walker	R. K. Batchelor
W. Galloway	A. E. Quinn
A. T. Smith	F. E. W. Lammert
A. T. Lay	G. C. Kitching
W. Stratton	F. Mayes
R. O. Rutherford	C. E. Watson

Both England and Scotland won against America and the above should be an interesting match, though on paper Scotland is much stronger.

## TENNIS

### Play to Be Resumed To-day

Three ties are down for decision in the Hong Kong Cricket Club Tournament to-day.

Sajiki and Hachiuma will meet H. Owen Hughes and A. D. Humphreys in the Open Doubles, whilst another Club Championship first round tie will be played between Dr. L. T. Ride and H. J. Armstrong.

In the Handicap Singles "A," J. Barrow and I. S. Harris meet in the first of the second round matches.

The programme is:—

Open Championship Doubles

First Round—H. Owen Hughes and A. D. Humphreys v. Y. Sajiki and Y. Hachiuma.

Club Championship

First Round—Dr. L. T. Ride v. H. J. Armstrong.

Handicap Singles "A."

Second Round—J. Barrow v. I. S. Harris.

## H.M.S. PETERSFIELD

### "Marathon" Race of Three Miles

The men of the H.M.S. Petersfield ran a "Marathon" race on Sunday afternoon, over a course of a little more than three miles. A silver cup, for the winner, was presented by "Mr. L.B."

The start and finish was at Blue Buildings on the Praya and the course ran via Happy Valley and Reclamation Road. The race was run on a time handicap basis, and eleven competitors faced the starter, Commander Baker, R.N., at 3.15 p.m.

Leading Seaman Padden, who was a hot favourite, did not disappoint his supporters, and won comfortably.

A. E. Murray, (scratch) came in second, and A. B. Pearce was third. At the conclusion, the donor presented his cup to the winner, and suitably acknowledged the three cheers which Commander Baker called for.

## HOME FOOTBALL

### Replayed Scottish Cup Ties

#### DUNDEE'S VICTORY

London, Yesterday. Two matches in the Scottish Cup—third round—were replayed to-day. Dundee emerging successful at the expense of Airdrieonians, whilst Falkirk and Leith Athletic could not be separated even after extra time.

Results:—

Dundee ..... 2 Airdrieonians ..... 1

Falkirk ..... 1 Leith A. .... 1

\* After extra time.

#### Northern League

Two matches were played in the Third Division—Northern Section—of

## DERBY DAY

### (Continued from Page 7.)

#### THE FILIPINO CLUB

The following is the result of the drawing of the sweep on the Hong Kong Derby:—

1st Prize ..... \$3,928.74

2nd ..... \$1,122.50

3rd ..... \$561.25

Other Ponies: \$184.00 each.

Ponies ..... Drawers ..... Ticket No.

1—M. M. Nonato ..... Shanghai ..... J-979

2—C. Chan, Hong Kong ..... J-673

3—L. San, s.s. Jefferson ..... G-48

4—Gueto & Reyes, Manila ..... T-718

5—Josefa Asenas, Manila ..... S-283

6—Li Ching-lan, Hong Kong ..... L-43

7—L. Lazaga, Manila ..... O-3

8—Luzon & Co., Manila ..... C-609

9—O. Giese, Shanghai ..... E-897

10—V. Formoso, Ayatiri ..... F-881

11—"Marichay", Hong Kong ..... F-414

12—Y. H. Tong, Hong Kong ..... C-314

13—M. Luna, Hong Kong ..... D-818

14—K. Selo, Hong Kong ..... A-578

15—Law Kun, Hong Kong ..... Q-788

16—Texaco Synd., Hong Kong ..... E-485

17—J. M. Xavier, Hong Kong ..... B-8

18—Luzon & Co., Manila ..... C-613

19—L. Whyte, Singapore ..... D-700

20—Seratin Garcia, Manila ..... S-186

21—J. Flores, Manila ..... F-111

22—M. L. Remedios, Macao ..... F-594

23—L. Lazaga, Manila ..... M-92

24—Ng Kwan-ting, Hong Kong ..... B-576

25—Thos. Beck, Hong Kong ..... H-592

26—V. Formoso, Ayatiri ..... H-14

27—Chin Tak-choh, Hong Kong ..... H-53

28—V. D. Alobog & Co., Shanghai ..... A-742

29—D. S. Sabaroy, Hong Kong ..... F-358

30—Joachim Bass, Hong Kong ..... C-623

31—Man Hak-sing, Hong Kong ..... H-50

32—Theresa Lopez, Hong Kong ..... G-604

33—L. Lazaga, Manila ..... O-29

34—Mataunel & Co., Hong Kong ..... N-232

35—L. Baptista, Hong Kong ..... J-176

36—T. T. Cheque, Hong Kong ..... C-321

37—Go Kong-wai, Manila ..... F-694

38—S. C. Larson, Hong Kong ..... T-5

39—H. Dumato, Hong Kong ..... F-507

40—Pau King, Hong Kong ..... I-93

41—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

42—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

43—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

44—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

45—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

46—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

47—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

48—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

49—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

50—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

51—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

52—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

53—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

54—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

55—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

56—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

57—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

58—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

59—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

60—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

61—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

62—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

63—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

64—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

65—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

66—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

67—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

68—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

69—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

70—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

71—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

72—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

73—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

74—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

75—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

76—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

77—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

78—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

79—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

80—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

81—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

82—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

83—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

84—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

85—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

86—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

87—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

88—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

89—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

90—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

91—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

92—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

93—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

94—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

95—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

96—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

97—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

98—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

99—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

100—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

101—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

102—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

103—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

104—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

105—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

106—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

107—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

108—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

109—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

110—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

111—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

112—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

113—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

114—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

115—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

116—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

117—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

118—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

119—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

120—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411

121—Norberta Cruz, Manila ..... H-411



# World News In Pictures

Globe Circlers



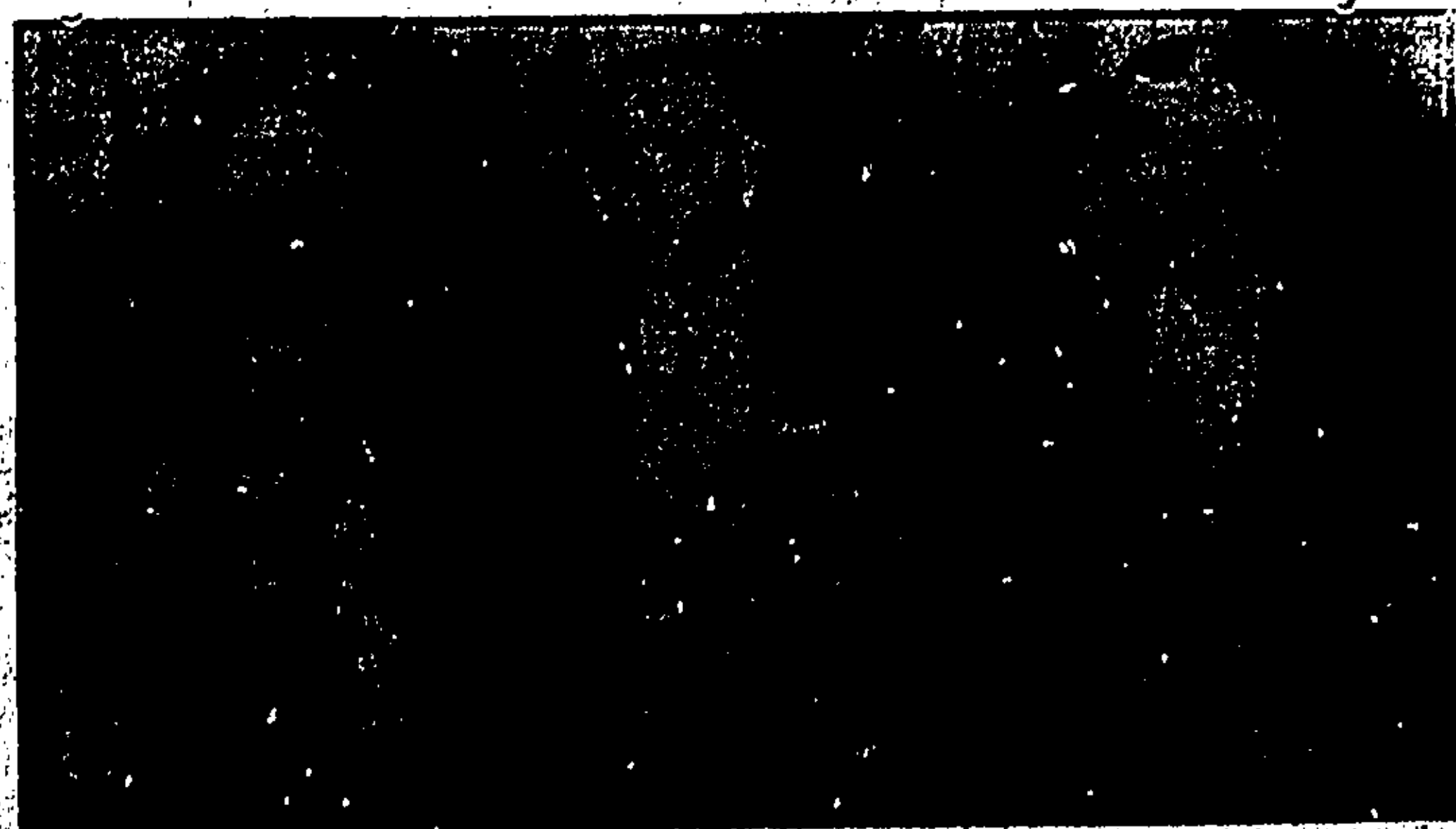
Captain and Mrs. Walter Wanderwell with Nina, 3, and Nell (right), 4, as they arrived from Europe recently. They visited Florida and are now on their way back to New York to prepare for an exploration trip to the South Seas. The children have already accompanied their parents on trips to Asia (including Hong Kong) and Africa and on numerous occasions the tots lived on camel meat, slices of shark and buffalo milk.

Welcome to Envoy



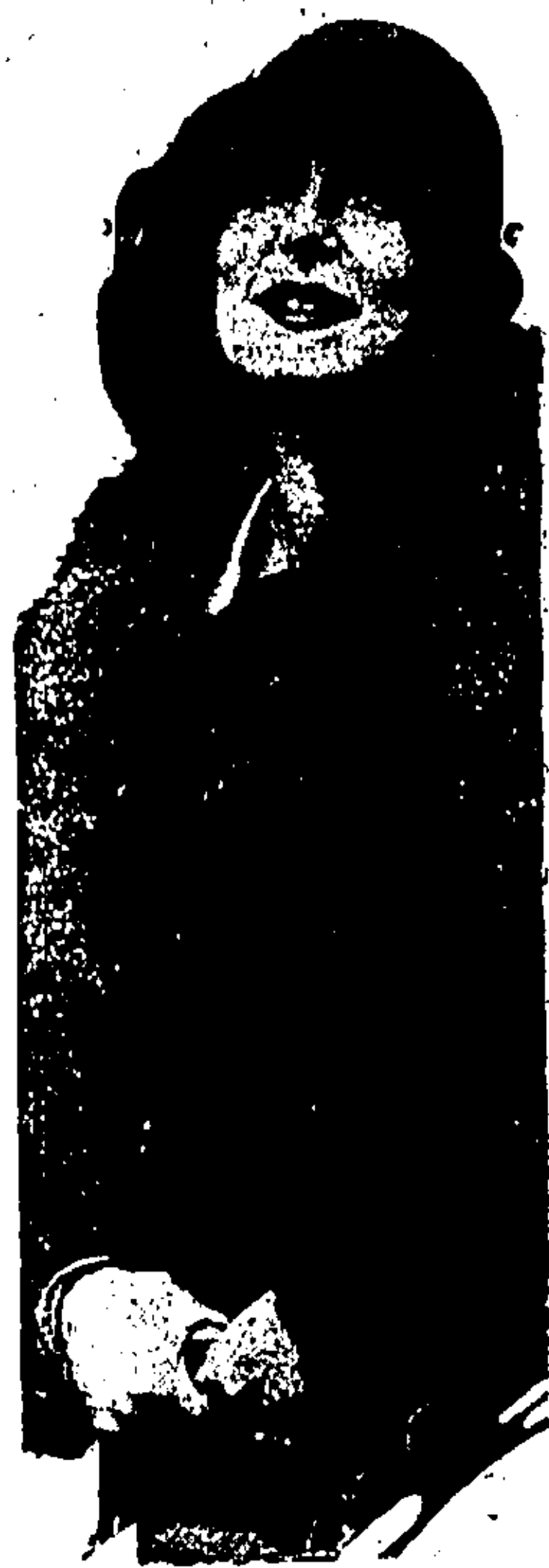
Foreign Minister Aristide Briand extended his nation's welcome to the newly appointed U.S. Ambassador to France, Walter E. Edge.

Feted in London



A dinner given by the English Speaking Union in honour of Ambassador and Mrs. Dawes, brought together some of the outstanding exponents of the Union. Above is pictured, the Bishop of Canterbury, Lord Reading and Ambassador Dawes.

Titled Russian Visitor



The Grand Duchess Kira, great granddaughter of Queen Victoria of Britain, and the youngest daughter of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia, arrived in New York on the s.s. Berengaria. The titled visitor will be the guest in Washington of Mrs. D. Jarvis, prominent society hostess.

Aerial Honeymoon



Mrs. William Marsalis, the former Frances Harrell, well-known woman pilot, about to go aloft on her aerial honeymoon. She married Nelson Johnson, aeroplane mechanic. Mrs. Marsalis is a native of Galveston, Texas and Johnson is a native of Spartanburg, South Carolina, so the Southland voyage will be a welcome one to the flying honeymooners.

Anarchists Plot Murder



A daring anarchists' plot to assassinate the entire Belgian royal family on the eve of the wedding to Princess Marie Jose to Crown Prince Humberto of Italy was described in advices from Brussels. The young Italian who attempted the assassination of the Crown Prince enlarged upon his confession and included an anarchists' plot to kill the five members of the royal family by a daring bomb attack on the royal train while on his way to Rome for the wedding. (Picture shows King Albert, Queen Elizabeth, Prince Leopold and Princess Marie Jose).

Resigned Commission



Francis Francis, with his bride (Sunny Jarman, actress), leaving Christ Church, London, after the wedding for which the groom made a great sacrifice. He resigned his commission with the Royal Horse Guards to conform with the unwritten law regarding members of the Royal Household marrying actresses.

Watch on the Rhine



A squad of German troops saluting as the flag of the Reich ascends the staff from which the French emblem has flown for eleven years. The last platoon of French troops left this fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, which is famed in the folklore of the Rhine, and the German flag once more waved over all.

## THE HONG KONG

\$

## DIRECTORY

Price \$1.00

WILL BE ON

SALE

ON

# MONDAY

MARCH 3rd, 1930

AT THE OFFICES

OF THE

H.K. \$ DIRECTORY CO.

3A, Wyndham Street

Always richly stocked with  
DRAWN WORKS, SILKS,  
and FANCY GOODS

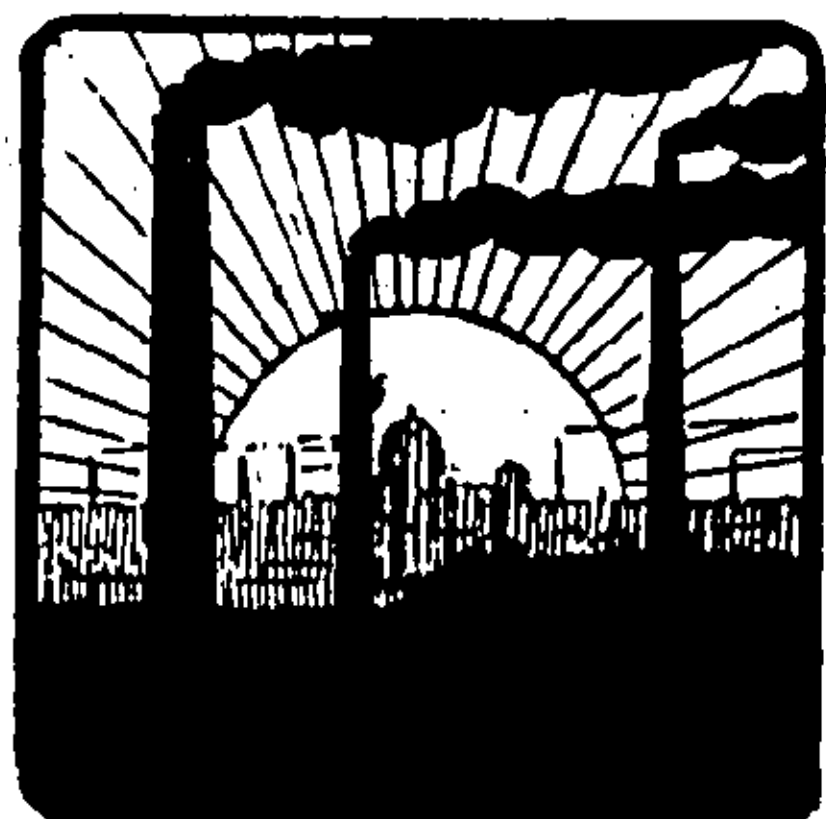
FOOK WENG & CO.  
ONE PRICE STORE  
China Building



## KAIPING COAL

FOR ALL PURPOSES.

HOME  
FACTORY  
AND  
BUNKERS



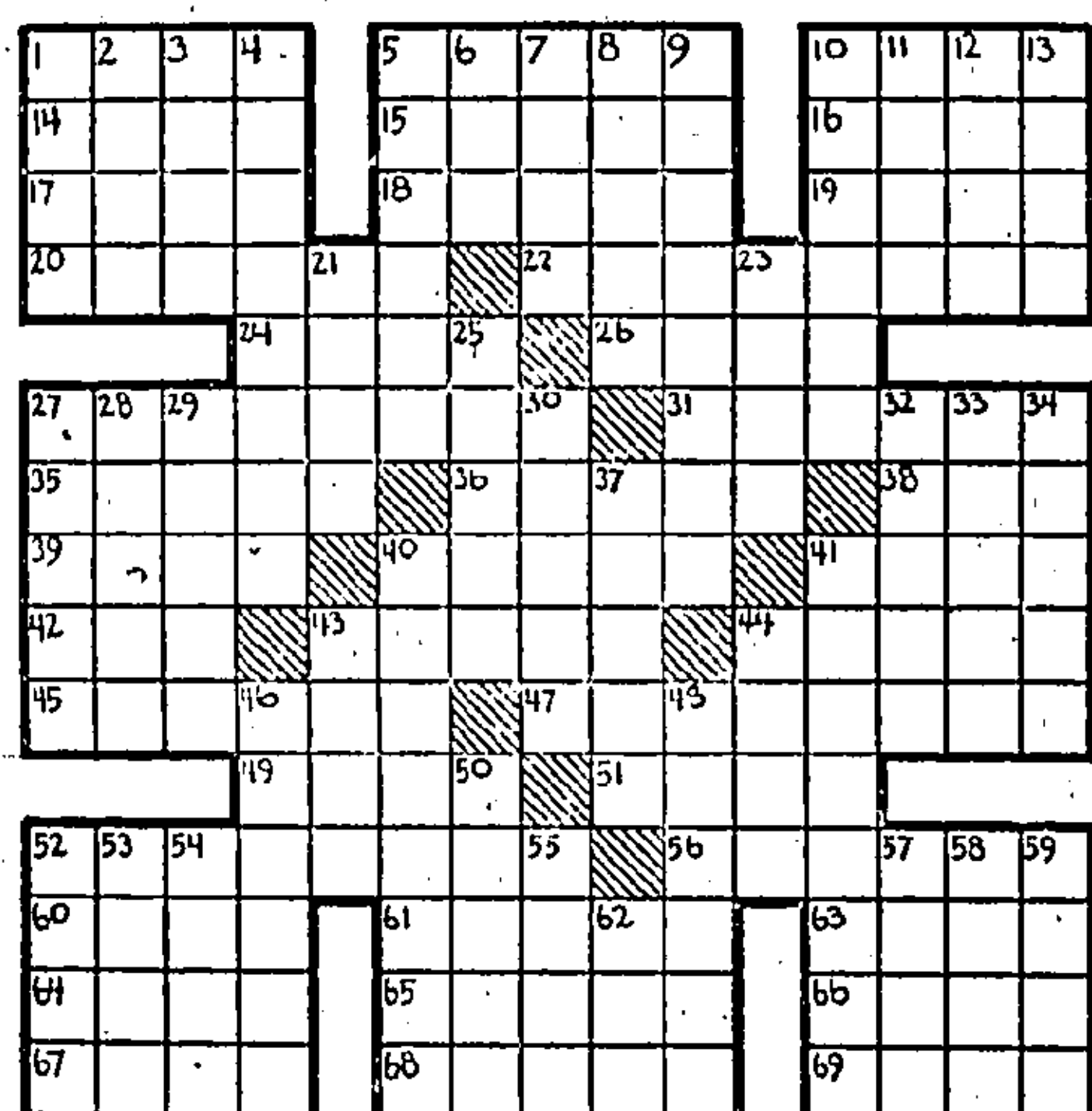
POWER  
HOUSE,  
TUGS &  
LOCOS

THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION.  
Head Office:—TIENTSIN.

Agents:—DODWELL & CO., LTD., Hong Kong.

### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



#### HORIZONTAL

- 1-Assist
- 5-Garden tool
- 10-Competent
- 14-Scout
- 15-Blind
- 16-Surflet
- 17-Monster
- 18-Precious stone (pl.)
- 19-Wander
- 20-Roaming salesman
- 22-Bawled
- 24-Birds (Latin)
- 26-Raised platform
- 27-Remonstrates
- 31-Cervile
- 35-Subsequently
- 36-Anaesthetic
- 38-151 (Roman)
- 39-Insect (pl.)
- 40-Staple article of food
- 41-Metal money
- 42-No (Scott.)
- 43-Small coin
- 44-Temporary peace
- 45-The third of a butt or pipe (pl.)
- 47-Confined within certain limits
- 49-Headgear (pl.)
- 51-Big waves

#### HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 52-A vegetable (pl.)
- 56-Reply
- 60-King who Christianized Norway
- 61-Court papers
- 62-Mitigate
- 64-To wisher
- 65-Acquiesce
- 66-Frong
- 67-Leaping reptile
- 68-English manufacturing center
- 69-Vehicle

#### VERTICAL

- 1-End
- 2-Margin
- 3-Dominion
- 4-Church dignitaries
- 5-Supports by props
- 6-Vim
- 7-Desert dweller
- 8-Dealt out sparingly
- 9-Drought into bondage
- 10-Athwart
- 11-Stroke
- 12-Affliction
- 13-Scrutinized
- 21-At any time

#### VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 23-Falsifier
- 25-Austere
- 27-Saw
- 28-Frags (Latin)
- 29-Fish-eating animal
- 30-Tax (Scott.)
- 32-Search thoroughly
- 33-Visitor to Wonderland
- 34-Covered on the inside
- 37-Former U. S. President
- 40-Act of conferring
- 41-Mounted vessels for holding torches
- 43-Fuel
- 44-Conjunction
- 46-Irritated
- 48-Annoys
- 50-Twilled woolen stuff
- 52-Inforn fully
- 53-Prefix-all
- 54-Traditional seat of ancient Irish Kings
- 55-Head of a family
- 57-Lament
- 58-Scrf
- 59-Pastoral pipe
- 62-Spread

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in tomorrow's issue along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

## RADIO TOPICS



The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on 355 metres:—

5-5.30 p.m.—Programme of Columbia Records by courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Company. "Adia"—Selection (Verdi, arr. Tavan). New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.

"My Ain Folk" (V. Miller & L. G. Lemon). "I Hear You Calling Me" (H. Harford & C. Marshall). The Maestros "Four Ways" (Eric Coates). Regal Cinema Orchestra

5.30-6 p.m.—Auntie Letty, Auntie Madge, and Uncle Jack will entertain the Children.

6-7 p.m.—Programme of Columbia Records by courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Company.

"The Schoolmaster and the Boy" (Ronald Jeans). Comedy Sketch by Cicely Courtneidge and Jack Hubert.

"Rigoletto—Prelude and Duke's Song" (Rigoletto—Quartette). Maria Gentile, Ebe Stignani, Alessandro Grandi & Carlo Galeffi.

"The Engineer" (Will Fyffe). "Dr. McGregor" (Will Fyffe). "Chauve Souris—A Russian Barcarolle" (Varianoff).

"Chauve Souris—Round the Hay Wain" (Chauve Souris Company). "Hungarian Dance in D Minor" (Cavatina) (Violin Solo by Arthur Catterall with Piano).

"Ivan Caryl's Memories" (Ivan Caryl). "Paul Rubens' Memories" (Debroy Somers Band).

"The Five O'Clock Girl—Up in the Clouds" (The Five O'Clock Girl—Thinking of You) (Kalmor & Ruby). Layton & Johnstone.

"On the Quarter Deck, March" (K. J. Alford). "Ellesmere, March" (J. E. Grace).

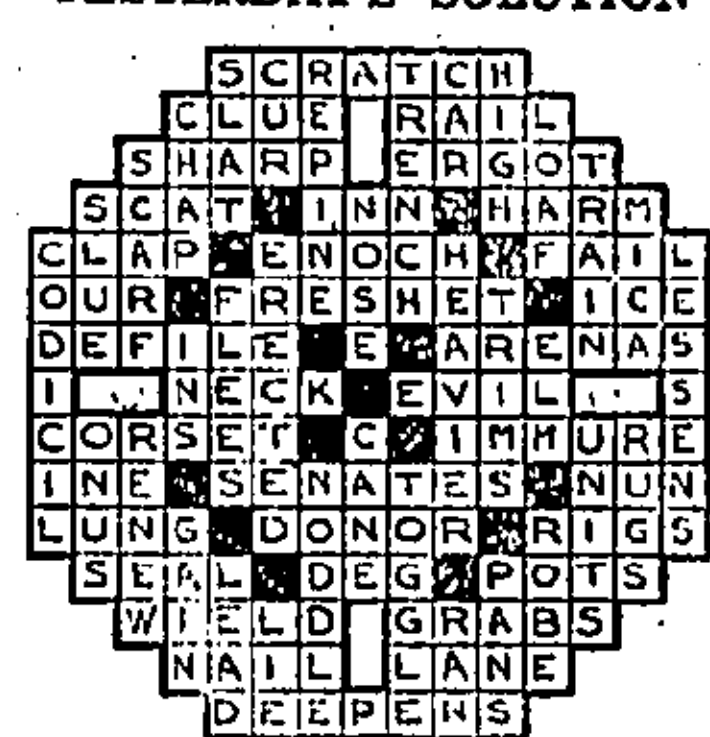
The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. "Messiah—He shall feed his Flock" (Handel).

"Creation's Hymn" (Beethoven). Dame Clara Butt. "Wembley Military Tattoo". The Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

7-8 p.m.—Experimental Programme.

8 p.m.—Chinese Programme relayed from Ko Shing Theatre until end of Play.

#### YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



#### RADIO TELEGRAMS

It is notified for information that with effect from February 23 the local currency rates for radio telegrams to the countries named below will be increased as shown:—

Indo-China .....\$0.85  
Siam .....\$0.90  
Netherlands East Indies \$1.10

#### ADVERTISING

#### U.S. "Time Purchased" Programmes

J. Goodman writes to the London Telegraph:—

I trust the B.B.C. will not be induced by the munificent prospects held out to them by potential advertisers to adopt the policy of including advertisements in their programmes.

I can hardly imagine anyone who has listened to the American programmes, with their half-hours allotted to various trading concerns, will wish for the same thing in Britain. Even the "time signal" is an advertisement.

Stand by for the time-signal from the Watch Manufacturing Co. The watches are the finest in the world, and can be obtained in all towns and cities of the United States.

Later one is told:—

You have just heard 1 minute 30 seconds past 10 o'clock by the Watch Manufacturing Co. The watches are the best timekeepers made. They can be purchased from all jewellers and stores in the United States.

Fancy losing our "Big Ben" for that!

Mr. S. Wilding Cole says that there would be only a brief comment, such as "This programme is being broadcast under the direction of So-and-so Company." That is not the case in America, and while it might be so here at first, it would not for long satisfy "purchasers of time." Otherwise where would they get the advantage?

If advertising firms are allowed to "purchase time," the programmes will become patchy, and interlarded with the merits of So-and-so's soap. No doubt a few big firms may broadcast occasionally a two-hour concert, but the smaller firms, who will have to be catered for, will be able to pay only for odd half-hours. Then good-bye to our operas and symphony concerts!

#### NAVAL PARLEY

The proceedings of the naval conference are being regularly broadcast across the Atlantic and thence throughout North America.

Mr. F. W. Wils, who was Berlin correspondent of The Daily Mail from 1906 to 1914, speaks from London every Thursday evening over the 65 stations of the Columbia broadcasting system, which has 20,000,000 listeners.

Transmission from London is jointly by use of the ocean telephone cables and radio short waves.

#### MARCONI MYSTERY

##### Cables and Wireless Shares

London, January, 20. Holders of Marconi's Wireless £1 shares who did not accept the offer to exchange into shares of Cables and Wireless, Limited, are expressing emphatic protests against the allocation to the Marconi company of only 4,411,766 out of the 30,000,000 £1 shares of Imperial and International Communications, Limited, which has taken over the communications assets of the cable and Marconi companies.

On the basis of the Communications company's "standard net revenue" of £1,865,000, the Marconi company would receive only about £274,000 revenue from its shareholding in the Communications company.

In the light of this, the estimate put forward by the Marconi directors in their report last May, when they sought to prove the desirability of the £1 shareholders exchanging their shares for Cables and Wireless, Limited, can be further examined.

The Directors' Figures The Marconi directors, without committing themselves to an estimate of the revenue of either the Marconi company or Cable and Wireless, published figures in the May report based on the assumption that the Marconi company will pay 20 per cent. on its Ordinary shares and that Cables and Wireless will pay the dividend on its fixed-dividend capital.

But if the Marconi pays no more than 20 per cent. on its Ordinary capital, its total annual distribution will be only £447,000, of which only £173,000 would consist of profits from non-communication assets (the manufacturing and royalty side of the business).

On the other hand, from the figures so far available it would seem that Cables and Wireless must receive twice or three times £173,000 from its interest (as a Marconi shareholder) in the Marconi non-communication assets if it is to meet the dividend on its fixed-dividend capital.

Calculation of the Marconi directors' calculation of May last seems to be based on two mutually exclusive assumptions.

The Marconi board might usefully enlighten its shareholders by an explanation, as their interests are vitally affected by the allocation of the Communications company's shares.

There are many uncertain factors that might affect the revenue of the Marconi company, but, for the guidance of shareholders, it would be interesting to know exactly what the Marconi directors had in view in their statement of May last—Daily Mail.

#### WIRELESS PHONES

##### Successful Experiments at Sea

New York, Dec. 23. Another chapter was written into the annals of communication when persons aboard an aeroplane, flying 3,000 ft. above New York city, conversed by means of the wireless telephone with passengers on the Leviathan, inbound, some 700 miles at sea. So easily were the connections made and so clear the conversation that the participants in the unique demonstration could not help but feel that it was a perfectly normal procedure rather than the making of communication history. The aeroplane, a Ford tri-motor, owned by the Bell Telephone Laboratories and known as the "flying telephone booth," ascended with its passengers, including two reporters and several radio technicians, from Hadley Field, New Brunswick, N.J., shortly after 1.30 p.m. As soon as the machine, under the guidance of Captain A. Ray Brooks, had reached an altitude of 2,000 ft., Mr. F. S. Bernhardt, a radio engineer, handed "muzzled" microphones and headphones to those on board, which made it possible to carry on a conversation above the noise of the motors.—United Press.

#### HONG KONG HEIGHTS

For the information of visitors the following list of some of the highest points on the Island and Mainland is published:—

Island	Feet.
Victoria Peak	1825
Signal Station	1774
Mr. Parker	1784
Mountain Lodge	1728
The Byrle	1728
Peak Hotel	1805
Tai Mo Sanatorium	1000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (Waterloo)	297
Mainland	Feet.
Tai Mo San	8124
Kowloon Peak	1971

THE HONG KONG PENINSULA HOTEL:  
HONG KONG HOTEL: REPULSE BAY HOTEL:  
PEAK HOTEL:  
AND  
SHANGHAI  
ASTOR HOUSE: PALACE HOTEL:  
MAJESTIC HOTEL.  
HOTELS,  
LIMITED  
In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking.

## ST. FRANCIS HOTEL

"Alphonse" J. Hand, Manager

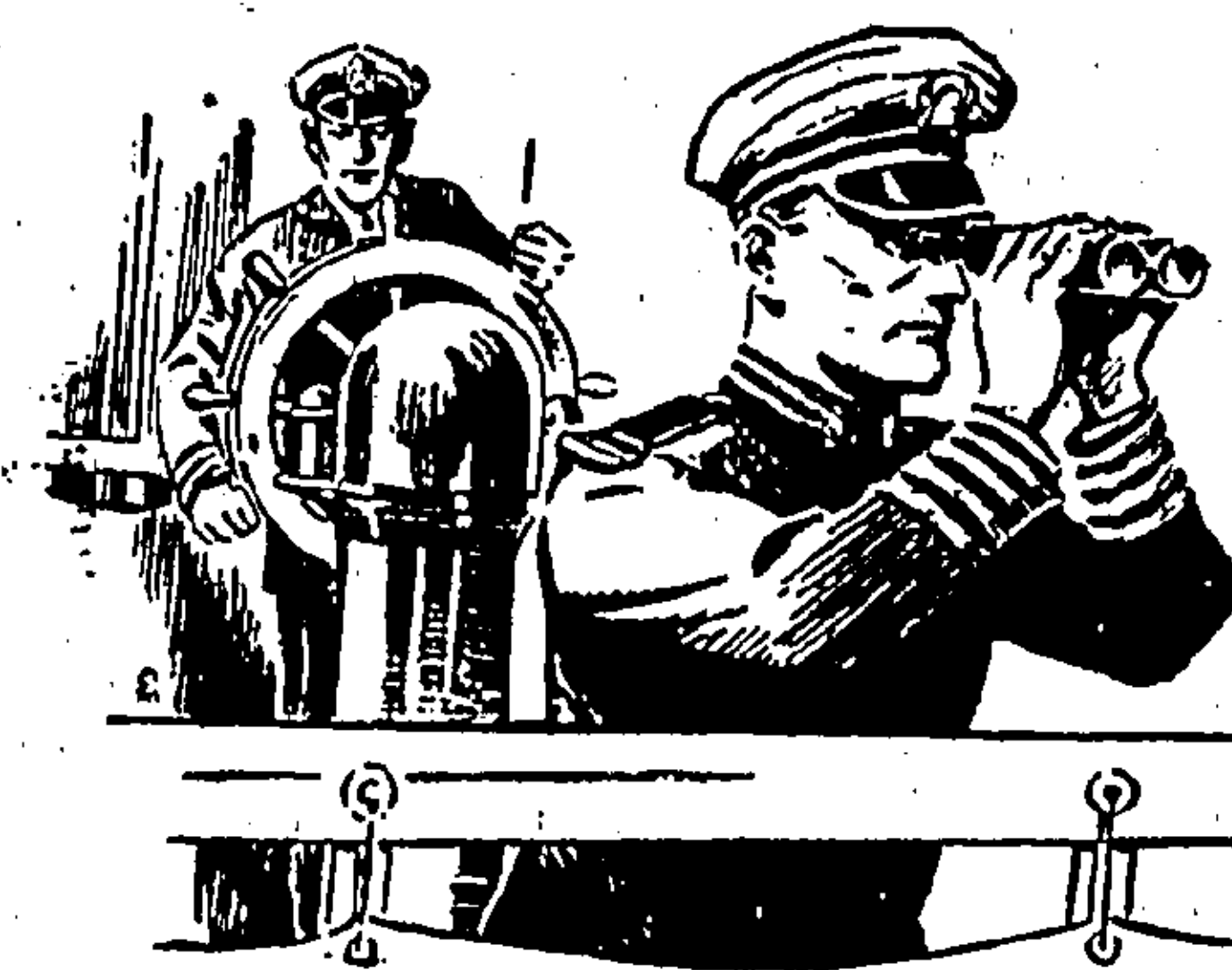
COSY LOUNGES — FULLY LICENSED

TIFFIN \$1.25  
DINNER \$2.00 or a la carte

Under the personal supervision

"ALPHONSE"

Special Menus for Private Parties.



"THE RIGHT PORT IN SIGHT"

## AROSO'S PORT

Obtainable Everywhere.

Sole Distributors:

H. RUTTONJEE & SON.

Wine and Spirit Merchants.

15, Queen's Road Central

## HONG KONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

to be held at the  
CHEER 'O CANTEEN

at 11.15 a.m.

MONDAY, March 3rd.

## SZERELMEY STONE LIQUID

The Reliable  
Remedy for  
Damp Walls  
and Stone  
Decay

THE EXTERIOR OF THE

PENINSULA HOTEL

was Entirely Coated with this liquid

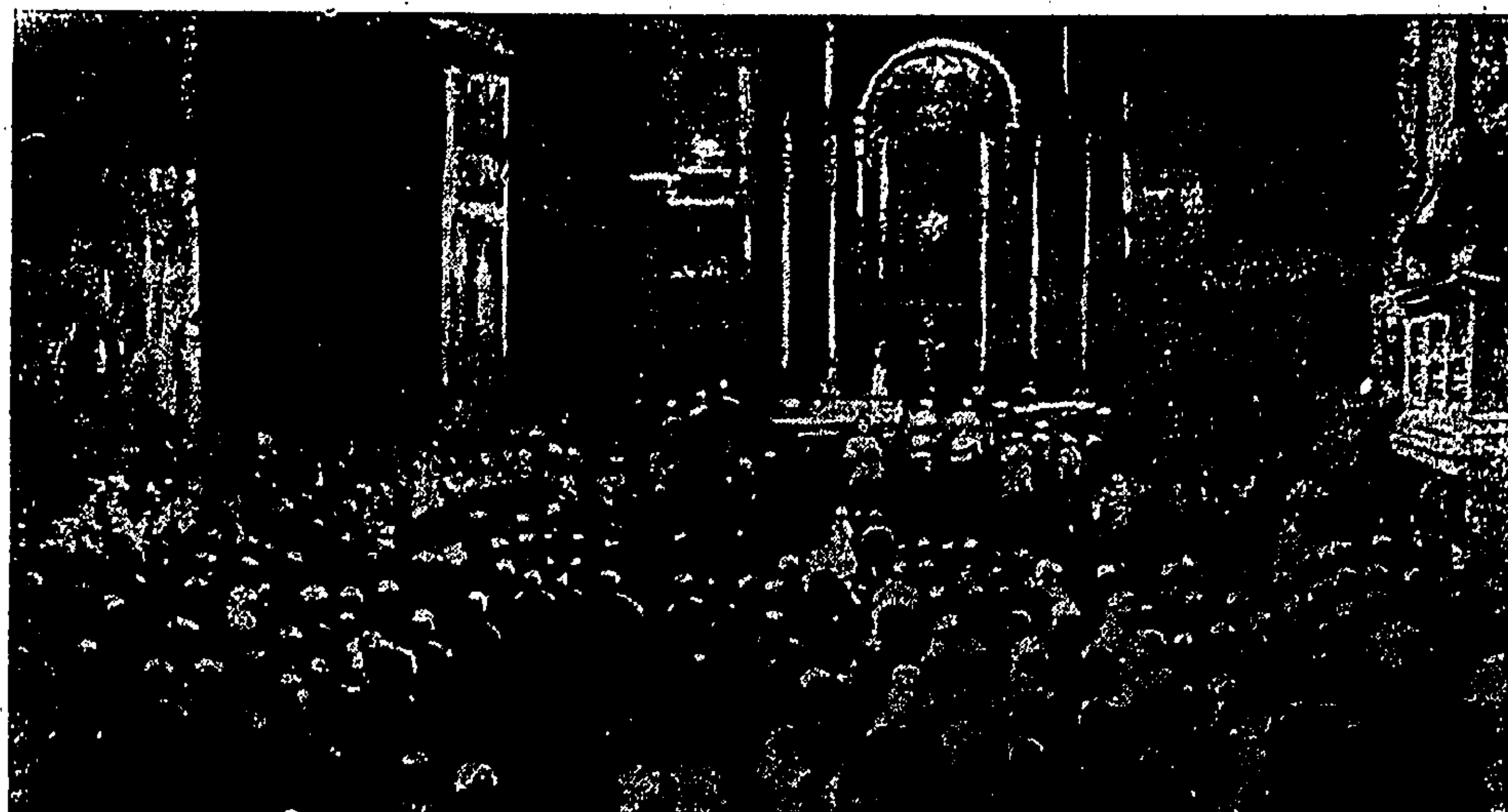
IT PREVENTS PENETRATION BY DRIVING RAIN

Stocks Carried

REISS, MASSEY & CO., LTD.

Sole Agents for

Hong Kong & South China.



This radioed picture of the wedding of Italy's royal heir to Princess Marie José of Belgium shows an interior view of the famous Pauline Chapel in the Quirinal Palace. In a magnificent ceremony, which carried Rome back to the feudal splendour of the Middle Ages, Crown Prince Umberto, future King of Italy, took his childhood sweetheart for his bride. Thunderous acclaim greeted the happy couple as they motored through streets packed with humanity in the Holy City after the culmination of their wedding ceremony.

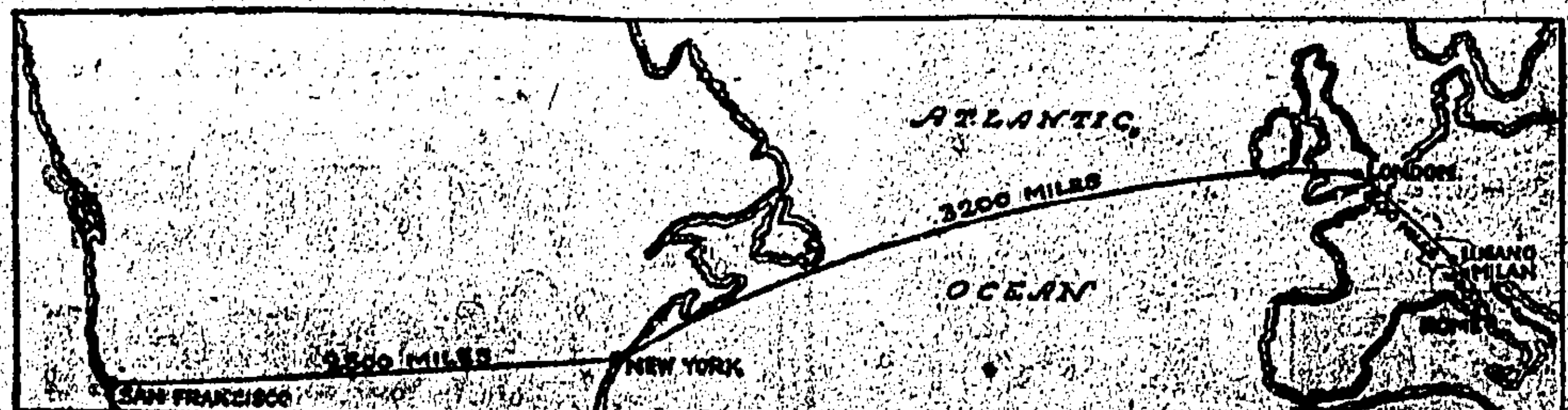


Diagram shows the route over which the radio picture of Prince Umberto's wedding to Princess Marie José was taken by the United States by International News. The picture was telephoned from Rome to London, radioed from London to New York, and telephoned from New York to San Francisco, making the longest distance ever covered by transmission of a picture.



"OVERLAND CHINA MAIL"

SEND IT HOME!

THE WEEK'S NEWS  
ILLUSTRATED.

25 cts.

25 cts.

# China Mail

Tuesday, February 25, 1930.  
First Moon, 27th Day.

ESTABLISHED  
1845

大英二月廿五號 禮拜二  
中華民國庚午年元月廿七日

HONG KONG, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1930.

A LIVING MEMORY  
OF YOUR PICTURES IN ACTION  
IS WORTH MORE THAN A  
MILLION STILL  
WE HAVE A STOCK OF  
MOVIE CAMERAS  
OF ALL MAKES  
THE PHARMACY  
Tel. C. 345 A.P.C. Bldg.



## LONDON SERVICE.

"PHILOTTES" 4th Mar. M'Isle, London, R'dam, & Hamburg  
"AENEAS" 18th Mar. M'Isle, London, R'dam, & Glasgow

## LIVERPOOL SERVICE.

"KEEMUN" 8th Mar. Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow  
"KEEMUN" 20th Mar. Genoa, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow

## PACIFIC SERVICE.

via KOBE & YOKOHAMA.  
"PROTEUS" 8th Mar. Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle  
"TALITHY" 20th Mar. Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle

## INWARD SERVICE.

"EURYPYLUS" Due 26th Feb. For Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.  
"PROTEUS" Due 1st Mar. For Kobe & Y'hama.  
"CANFA" Due 1st Mar. For Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.

## PASSENGER SERVICE.

"AENEAS" 18th Mar. Singapore, Marseilles & London  
"SARPEDON" 16th Apr. Singapore, Marseilles & London

Also cargo steamers with limited passenger accommodation at specially reduced fares.

For freight, passage rates and information apply to—

Butterfield & Swire,  
Agents.

## POST OFFICE NOTICE.

### RADIO NOTICES

The Radio Office, where full information concerning all wireless services may be obtained at all times, is situated on the ground floor of the P. & O. Building in Des Voeux Road, next to the General Post Office.

Individuals and firms are recommended to register their telegraphic addresses at the Radio Office. No charge is made for this.

### INWARD MAILS

From	Per
Shanghai and Swatow	25. Yingchow
Amoy	26. Takliwa
Japan and Shanghai	26. Andre Lebon
Saigon	Chenonceaux
Shanghai and Swatow	Sui Yang
Straits	Talamba
Japan	Tanda
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27.	
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers, London, Jan. 30 and parcels Jan. 23)	Rawalpindi
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28.	
Japan & Shanghai	Macedonia

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Halphong	25. Canton 1.30 p.m.
Sam Shui and Wuchow	Kong So 4 p.m.
Manila	President Madison 4.30 p.m.
Saigon	Borneo 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Kwongsoang 5 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26.	
Holhow, Pakhoi and Halphong	Chekliang 8.30 a.m.
Saigon, *Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Andre Lebon (Due Marseilles, March 29.)
K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Registration Feb. 26, 10 a.m.	Registration Feb. 26, 10.15 a.m.
Letters Feb. 26, 10 a.m.	Letters Feb. 26, 11 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Chenonceaux 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan 3.30 p.m.
Saigon	Ninghai 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, *Canada, *U.S.A. (except San Francisco and California), C. & S. America and *Europe via San Francisco	Asama Maru (Due San Francisco, Mar. 21 and *Europe via Siberia.)
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru 8.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Takliwa
Registration Feb. 27, 8.30 a.m.	Letters Feb. 27, 10.30 a.m.
Letters Feb. 27, 11.30 a.m.	

\*Specially recommended only.

## DUTCH FLIGHTS TO INDIA.

### QUESTION OF FACILITIES RAISED IN PARLIAMENT

#### UNDER CONSIDERATION

London, Yesterday.  
In the House of Commons to-day, on the question of Dutch flights across India, Captain Wedgwood Benn (Labour) informed Commander Kenworthy that the request for further facilities was being considered. No decision had yet been reached.  
Commander Kenworthy suggested that Dutch landing grounds would be most valuable to Britain in connection with flight to Australia, and urged Captain Benn to impress on the Government of India the desirability of giving the Dutch every facility. Captain Benn replied that the matter was being considered. He had nothing to add.—Reuter.

### INDIAN AFFAIRS

#### College Raided by Police

#### STUDENT'S DEATH

Amritsar, Yesterday.  
Pratap Singh, the Indian student injured by a bomb yesterday, has died.

Half a dozen students have been arrested. The police are vainly searching their college for something incriminating.—Reuter.

[A message of February 23 stated that a bomb filled with scrap-iron and glass exploded during the celebration of an anniversary in the Khalsa College and a student, Pratap Singh, who was presiding, was seriously injured and his leg had to be amputated. Ten other persons received slight injuries.]

### FOR AUSTRALIA

#### New Zealand Aces at Calcutta

Calcutta, Yesterday.  
The two New Zealand airmen, Piper and Kay, have arrived here. There is now no question of their beating Hinkler's record of 15½ days to Australia, as this is already the sixteenth day of their flight.—Reuter.

## CHINA TO BUILD A NEW HARBOUR

### BRITAIN AND THE CHARGING OF NEW LOAN

#### VIOLATION OF AGREEMENT

London, Yesterday.  
In the House of Commons to-day, apropos the reported contract between the Netherlands Harbour Works at the Peking Mukden Railway for the construction of a harbour at Hulutao, the cost of which would be paid from the Railway's earnings, Mr. Henderson, at question time, stated that the British Minister in China had been instructed to protest that the charging of a new loan on the security of the railway, except through the British-Chinese Corporation, violates the Railway Loan Agreement, and also to urge China to allocate the whole of the surplus earnings to the payment of outstanding debts of the railway, and to request that the contract should not be enforced until the debts are fully met and the consent of the Corporation obtained.—Reuter.

### RUBBER OUTPUT

#### Production to Cease in May

London, Yesterday.  
A meeting of the council of the Rubber Growers' Association in London decided to recommend the adoption of the British and Dutch Liaison Committee's proposal to complete the cessation of tapping in May.—Reuter.

## WHEAT CRISIS IN CANADA

### PRICES DROP TO LOWEST LEVELS OF THE YEAR

#### SITUATION UNEASY

Winnipeg, Yesterday.  
Export wheat prices at the local exchange crashed to the lowest level of the year as a result of weak Liverpool quotations and the low export orders, which are under 400,000 bushels for the whole continent during the past 24 hours.

A statement issued during the week-end that the prairie provinces are standing behind the wheat pool to ensure adequate financing for the marketing balance of exportable surplus of last year's crop, apparently has had no effect in maintaining prices in face of the low export orders. The general situation, with about 200,000,000 bushels still to be marketed, is causing considerable uneasiness.—Reuter.

### TIRED OF LIFE?

Two Chinese women were alleged to have attempted to commit suicide yesterday.

In the first instance, Lau Tsai (30), a married woman living at 30, Lee Yuen Street, East, was taken to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from the effects of opium poisoning, stated to have been self-administered. Her condition is serious.  
The other alleged would-be suicide was Keung Yau-mui (19), spinster, living at 36, Main Street, Shamkwan. She was said to have drunk some lye following a quarrel with her father. She was also taken to the Government Civil Hospital but was not detained.

But the  
Greatest "Star"  
of all—

Bayer

Tablets of

ASPIRIN

for Headache, Toothache,  
Rheumatism, etc., etc.

Obtainable everywhere.



TO-DAY & TO-MORROW at 2.30, 5.30, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.

E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM'S  
Sensationally popular Story

# The Passionate Quest

Featuring  
**MAY McAVOY**  
**WILLARD LOUIS**  
**LOUISE FAZENDA**

A drama of young love and brave adventure.

Majestic  
THEATRE



## AMUSEMENTS

WILLIAM FOX presents  
the ALL TALKING Fox Movietone  
**Masquerade**  
with ALAN BIRMINGHAM  
LEILA HYAMS  
CLYDE COOK  
ARNOLD LUCY  
FARRELL MACDONALD  
Directed by Russell Birdwell



FOX NEWS  
Latest Events of the Day  
IN SOUND

COMEDY  
Our Gang in  
"SMALL TALK"

REVUE  
Anatole Friedland's  
RITZ REVUE

AT THE  
**QUEEN'S**  
FINAL SHOWINGS  
TO-DAY  
At 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.20.

AN UP-TO-DATE COMEDY DRAMA.  
**MARIE PREVOST**  
FOR  
WIVES  
ONLY

AT THE  
**WORLD**  
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW  
At 2.30 & 7.15 Interpreter  
At 5.15 & 9.20 Orchestra

The Song and  
Dance Man

with  
**TOM MOORE**  
**BESSIE LOVE**  
**HARRISON FORD**

AT THE  
**STAR**  
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW  
At 5.30 & 9.20

QUEEN'S  
NEXT CHANGE  
**Wonder of Women**  
with LEWIS STONE